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We have received full files of Richmond papers from Feb. 8 to 20, inclusive, from which we make the following interesting extracts:

THE ADVANCE ON MOBILE.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 19.

The news from the Southwest is important. Sherman continues uninterruptedly to advance upon Mobile by the line of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad. An official dispatch to the War Department yesterday announces that he has arrived at Quitman, a village on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, 100 miles from Mobile. Though the enemy has not yet met with opposition, we feel authorized in saying that he will not be permitted to take possession of Mobile without a desperate battle. *This advance of the enemy is, beyond comparison, the boldest movement of the war.* On the 12th inst. Sherman, with between 25,000 and 30,000 men, provided with 20 days' cooked rations, left Vicksburgh and took up the line of march eastward, *tearing up the railroad and bridges in the rear. Clearly he meditates no step backward.*

The moving spirit in this army is one J. B. McPherson, of Ohio, a very young officer, with the rank in the regular army of junior Captain of the Corps of Engineers, and the rank in the provisional army of Brigadier. This is the man who made Grant famous, and he is now to try what he can do for Sherman, who is himself a man of ability, and in every way the superior of Grant. Since the beginning of the war success has invariably attended the plans of McPherson; it was he who planned the bold and successful movement on Vicksburgh. *We hope his good luck has bred in him a rashness that will be his ruin.*

THE DEMONSTRATION ON MOBILE.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 18.

The War Department received yesterday an official dispatch that the enemy had made a demonstration with gunboats and a land force at Grant's Pass, about thirty-five miles from Mobile. The demonstration was bloodless, as the fire of the enemy fell short. Grant's Pass is an artificial cut into Pascagoula Bay; and there is no doubt the enemy is attempting this approach to Mobile from Banks' lines and from the Mississippi River. Sherman's column is approaching by the Mobile and Ohio Railroad; and a third column, detached from Pensacola, is understood to be advancing on Pollard, which is about forty-five miles from Mobile by rail. The situation of Mobile is, undoubtedly, critical.

THE ADVANCE OF THE ENEMY IN MISSISSIPPI.

From the Richmond Enquirer, Feb. 13.

The reported advance of the enemy in Mississippi, alluded to by us a few days ago, has developed itself into an important and serious attempt of the enemy to bisect that State and threaten Mobile from the land side. The enemy are reported at Morton, which is forty miles east of Jackson; another column is reported as marching south from the direction of Corinth; Banks is said to be sending a column via Pascagoula; another from Pensacola is also reported; Farragut, with the navy, is to be in also. Quite a formidable army for the capture of Mobile. The Morton column under Sherman, has a pine barren of two hundred miles in extent to penetrate. Where or in what numbers the Confederate forces are, we are unable to say. But Mobile has not yet fallen.

ENEMY REPULSED.

From the Richmond Enquirer, Feb. 18.

A dispatch was received at the War Department last night, announcing that the enemy had been repulsed, with great loss, at Grand Pass, about thirty-five miles from Mobile. The attack was made by infantry, supported by gunboats, and took place on Tuesday.

THE LATEST FROM MOBILE.

From the Richmond Examiner Feb. 20.

The following dispatch was received at the War Department last night:

MOBILE, Feb. 19—2 P. M.

Gen. S. Cooper, &c.:

Farragut has not renewed his attack on Grant's Pass. His fleet lies off the pass in the sound. The weather is too bad for action. Sherman's Corps is not advancing down the Mobile and Ohio road. No landing has yet been reported in the direction of Pascagoula.

D. H. MAURY, Major-General.

An official dispatch was also received in the course of the day, which reduces the enemy's demonstration at Quitman to a very unimportant affair. Former dispatches overrated the enemy's force. Gen. Maury reported yesterday that he had made a close reconnoissance of the enemy's force at that point, (which is about 100 miles from Mobile,) and that it did not number more than a thousand men. The whole affair was probably a raid on some trestlework of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad.

THE WAR IN VIRGINIA.

CAPTURE OF GEN. SCAMMON.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 18.

We have the particulars of the gallant exploit recently performed by Lieut. Verdigan and ten men belonging to the Sixteenth Virginia Cavalry, commanded by Col. J. Ferguson, of Wayne County, in the capture of a Yankee steamer.

For two months past the Colonel and most of his men have been wintering within the enemy's lines, in the county above named. They had had several successful skirmishes with the enemy, and had on a former occasion sent out sixteen prisoners, who all arrived safely in Richmond. They also killed Denny Coleman, late Surveyor of Buchanan County, in a fight at Round Bottom, near the Ohio River—one of the vilest Union men and base-hearted traitors that has ever been arrayed against us.

The exploit above alluded to happened near Winfield, about twelve days since. Maj. Nonning was on a scout, with a portion of the command, and entered Winfield about midnight, when he ascertained that the steamer *Levi*, bound for Charleston, lay on the opposite side of the river, Lieut. Verdigan, with a solitary companion, were dispatched across the river to reconnoitre, which was successfully accomplished, and the telegraphic communication with Charleston severed in front of a house, and in full view of a woman residing therein. In about two hours Lieut. Verdigan was reinforced by nine men, who had crossed the river under many difficulties, on account of the scarcity of water craft. It was soon discovered that the enemy were on the alert, and were about to cut loose from the shore; not a moment was to be lost. The Lieutenant gave the order "Forward!" and immediately the gallant eleven double-quicked it to the boat—dashed aboard, up into the ladies' cabin, and found a sentinel at the door. Our men were soon in possession of the arms of Gen. Scammon, two Lieutenants—his aids—two other commissioned officers, twenty-five privates, besides the boat, crew and freight. As fast as the arms were received, they were thrown overboard for fear an attempt would be made to recapture them as soon as their small number was ascertained. The boat was immediately taken to the opposite side of the river, where Major Nonning and the balance of the command came aboard, when all parties steamed down the river about five miles. The prisoners were paroled that could not be safely brought off. Gen. Scammon and his two aids were sent on to Richmond.

AVERILL PREPARING FOR ANOTHER RAID.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 16.

Information from an intelligent and reliable citizen of Bath County, states that the Yankee General Averill is preparing for another grand raid on some important point in this State. His force has been increased to 5,000 effective men, and the Charlottesville *Chronicle* says that the impression is that his aim is Lynchburgh, via Millborough and Lexington.

THE PENINSULA.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 13.

It was reported yesterday that the enemy was again advancing in heavy force on the Peninsula. Dispatches received by the authorities yesterday afternoon, state that the enemy's advance was at Barhamsville. We do not believe there is any occasion for alarm, *comparing the present military condition with that of last Sunday upon the particulars of neither of which it would be proper to enter.* Our people may be assured that Richmond is now covered from assault; and the enemy can scarcely design any siege operations at this time.

THE WAR IN FLORIDA AND SOUTH CAROLINA.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 12.

The following dispatches were received yesterday by Adjt.-Gen. Cooper:

CHARLESTON, Feb. 11, 1864.

To Gen. S. Cooper:

Gen. Finnegan has repulsed the enemy's force at Lake City—details not known.

(Signed,) G. L. BEAUREGARD.

CHARLESTON, Feb. 11—11 A. M.

To Gen. S. Cooper:

Gen. Finnegan's success yesterday, was very creditable—the enemy's force being much superior to his own. His reinforcement had not reached here, owing to delays on the road. Losses not yet reported.

(Signed,) G. T. BEAUREGARD.

A VICTORY NEAR CHARLESTON.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 13.

The following dispatch was received at the War Department yesterday:

CHARLESTON, Feb. 12, 1864.

Gen. Wise gallantly repulsed the enemy last evening at John's Island. He is, to-day, in pursuit. Our loss very trifling. The force of the enemy is about 2,000; ours about one-half. [Signed,] G. T. BEAUREGARD.

This victory, and that in Florida, are well-timed and important occurrences. It may be stated now that some days ago Gen. Beauregard had indicated the belief that the enemy was meditating an attack on our coast lines, from Charleston to Florida; their design in the latter State extending to the capture of Tallahassee. Gen. Wise commands a District, as does Finnegan in Florida, and in each case it must have been an affair of important numbers.

From the Savannah News.

But little apprehension is felt here for the results of the expedition. Ample arrangements have been made to prevent any extended advance into the heart of the country, and the chief fear is lest they should by some well contrived plan or oversight on the part of our leaders, succeed in making their escape, and getting back to their boats at Jacksonville. The whole expedition should be brought to sorrow, and will be but for the very worst sort of management on our part.

THE PRISONERS.

THE GREAT ESCAPADE FROM THE LIBBY.

From the Richmond Enquirer, Feb. 12.

The escape of the Yankee officers from the Libby continued to be the liveliest topic of yesterday, and conjectures were rife as to the means of the escape other than those described in the published accounts. The sentinels, as usual, were enriched with laurels that their native modesty, if nothing else, would cause them to decline. After all, however, this grand delivery does not exceed in glory or secrecy the escape of John Morgan from the Ohio Penitentiary, and yet neither the connivance nor carelessness of sentinels or others have received any credit from Morgan or his historians, Yankee or Southern. It is most probable, in fact, that this distinguished General is, more than anybody else, responsible for the success with which Streight and his chums made their exit from the Libby. The experience and example of the one was an admirable lesson for the other.

It appears that the tunnel under Twentieth-street was dug entirely with an old hinge, and the loosened earth—a brittle, marly sand—removed with an old sugar scoop stolen from the hospital quarters. As the tunnel progressed, the miner took with him, besides his tools, an old-fashioned knapsack, made upon a wooden frame, to which a cord was attached. When he filled this with earth, it was drawn out by an accomplice who remained in the cellar, the contents deposited safely out of the way, and it was then shoved back to the digger with a pole.

The basement itself, in which this work was carried on, was kept constantly locked, never used, and the windows being tightly nailed, it was as dark as pitch. The principal in the tunneling operation was Capt. J. N. Johnson, of the Sixth Kentucky Cavalry, who is among the escaped. His accomplices were different, as occasion or private arrangement demanded.

On several occasions it had been observed that this Johnson was absent from roll-call, and now and then two or three others, a circumstance not very gratifying to the clerk having the roll to call, who, of course, would have it to go over again. A short time after he would appear and make his presence known, and would give as an excuse that it was only a little fun—"just deviling the clerk." On one occasion, when this thing had occurred once too often, he was called up for punishment, when he plead very earnestly, with a broad, good-natured grin, that he was "only joking, and was rolled up in his blanket when his name was called." He was excused this time with a warning. He took good care to keep better hours in quarters, while the work continued below to its completion.

Immediately after the escape was discovered and the first to go in pursuit, Mr. John Ligon, Assistant Clerk, with Orderly Hatcher, Warden R. R. Turner and two policemen went off in the direction of the Peninsula, and up to yesterday evening had signalized their promptness and energy by the recapture of eight of the fugitives, who they picked up on the roads. Fourteen others were brought in during Wednesday night and yesterday, by pickets on the Chickahominy. Several were captured at Bottom's Bridge, some in Henover, but the larger number only a few miles from the city. Intelligence was obtained that a number of them were trying to get through in the direction of Fredericksburgh. Another batch, recaptured in that direction, is looked for to-day. We give below the list of those who had up to six o'clock last evening been returned to their old quarters at the Libby. The energy and solicitude of Major Turner are subjects of deserved commendation.

One of the captures of Wednesday was made by "an American citizen of African descent." The dusky captor was engaged in a matutinal "dig" in his potato patch, when he observed the fugitive officer streaking it across the field. Seeing that he wore suspiciously blue garments, the darkey hailed him and asked him where he was "gwine." Something to the effect of "nowhere" being the reply, the darkey, with courage and patriotism worthy of immortality, brought his hoe to a "charge," and responded, "Yes you is, dough—you done broke out o' one o' dem prisons—come along—you got to go wid me." He marched him to the house, handed him over to his master, and returned to his potato patch, covered with glory. The Yankee arrived, under due guard, yesterday morning.

Captured on Wednesday.—G. Starr, Captain, 104th New-York; W. B. Pierce, 1st Lieutenant, 11th Kentucky Cavalry; H. Scroeter, 1st Lieutenant, 82d Illinois Infantry; J. Gates, Captain, 3d Ohio; C. H. Morgan, 1st Lieutenant, 21st Wisconsin; F. Moran, 1st Lieutenant, 73d New-York; W. L. Watson, 1st Lieutenant, 21st Wisconsin; E. Shroeders, 1st Lieutenant, 74th Pennsylvania.

Captured on Yesterday.—Col. S. P. Spofford, 97th New-York; A. B. White 1st Lieutenant, 4th Pennsylvania Cavalry; W. A. Daly, 1st Lieutenant, 8th Pennsylvania Cavalry; H. H. Hinds, 1st Lieutenant, 57th Pennsylvania; F. Irch, Captain, 45th New-York; Isaac Johnson, Engineer gunboat *Satellite*: J. P. Brown, 2d Lieutenant, 15th U. S. Regulars; G. S. Good, 2d Lieutenant, Company I, 84th Pennsylvania; A. Moore, 1st Lieutenant, Company E, 4th Kentucky; G. P. Gamble, 2d Lieutenant, Company D, 63d Pennsylvania; Adjutant M. R. Small, 6th Maryland; C. S. Edmond, 1st Lieutenant, Company D, 67th Pennsylvania; J. M. Wasson, 2d Lieutenant, Company H, 40th Ohio; P. A. White, 2d Lieutenant, Company D, 83d Pennsylvania; Lieut.-Col. Ely, 18th Connecticut; Capt. E. S. Smith, 19th U. S. Cavalry; Lieut. W. H. Wilcox, 10th New-York Cavalry; Lieut. Adam Hauf, 45th New-York; Daniel Flausberry, 14th Michigan Cavalry; T. J. Roy, 49th Ohio; J. H. Gadsby, 19th U. S. Infantry; M. M. Bassett, 53d Illinois; M. Bedell, 123d New-York; Capt. N. Moore, 29th Indiana; Lieut. J. D. Simpson, 10th Indiana; Capt. J. D. Phelps, 73d Indiana; Capt. W. C. Rosman, 3d Ohio; Col. Thos. G. Rose, 77th Pennsylvania; H. P. Crawford, 2d Illinois Cavalry; S. D. Sutherland, 125th Ohio; Lieut. J. M. Fales, 1st Rhode Island Cavalry; Lieut. E. Cottingham, 35th Ohio.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 16.

No more recaptured Yankee officers were gathered in at the Libby yesterday. The number sticks at forty-eight. Possibly two or three more may be picked up, skipping about over the country; but the number recaptured already, and yet to be taken, will not exceed the half of the one hundred and nine who got off. Half a loaf is better than no loaf. As for Streight, the Confederacy got more than ten times his value when it received Morgan back, and can afford to let him run. *Bon voyage*, whisky *Straight*!

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 26.

Forty-eight of the escaped Yankee officers had been recaptured and returned to the Libby up to yesterday afternoon.

REMOVAL OF PRISONERS TO GEORGIA.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 18.

The first installment of Yankee prisoners left yesterday morning over the Petersburgh road with the new prison post at Americus, Georgia, for their destination. They numbered four hundred. The same or a larger number will be forwarded daily or tri-weekly, until five or six thousand are transferred to Georgia.

REMOVAL OF THE YANKEE PRISONERS FROM DANVILLE.

From the Danville Appeal.

Our citizens will heartily rejoice to learn that the Secretary of war has given assurance that the prisoners of War now confined here shall be immediately removed to another locality. Their removal will probably be effected during the next few days, as preparations have been made for their reception at Americus, Georgia.

ARRIVAL OF FLAG OF TRUCE BOAT

From the Richmond Enquirer, Feb. 20.

The steamer *New-York*, in charge of Maj. Mulford, assistant agent for the exchange of prisoners, arrived at City Point, yesterday, at 1 o'clock P. M., from Fortress Monroe. The *New-York* brought Col. Lee, of Virginia; Capt. Clarkson, of Missouri; Maj. Goldsboro, of Ga., and Lieut. Woodruff, of Virginia—all prisoners of war. Rev. Mr. Hinclay, a political prisoner, and his family; twenty-five ladies, principally from Norfolk; several children, and about 20 tons of freight for the Federal prisoners.

THE REBEL CONGRESS.

The rebel Congress has finally concluded its action on the Military Currency and Tax Bills, which the papers publish in full, but which we have not room for this morning. The measures are of the most sweeping description. The Congress had also passed a bill to suspend the writ of habeas corpus, another to abolish blockade-running, and another to put all this business in the hands of the Government, which should send out only cotton and tobacco for food and supplies.

IMPORTANT BILLS APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 10

The President yesterday approved the following bills of Congress, passed in secret session:

A bill to impose restrictions upon foreign commerce. This bill prohibits the exportation of cotton, tobacco, naval and military stores, molasses, sugar or rice, under the penalty of the forfeiture of any vessel or vehicle, or any slaves or animals engaged in the transportation thereof. Permits to export may be granted under rules which may be prescribed by the President. The bill also prohibits the sending of any of the above-named articles to any point in the Confederacy in possession of the enemy. A violation of this law comes within the category of high misdemeanor, and is punishable by fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the Confederate States court.

A bill to prohibit the importation of luxuries into the Confederate States. This bill prohibits the importation of luxuries (of which a long list is enumerated) after the 1st day of March next. A provision in the bill empowers the Secretary of the Treasury to fix the maximum of foreign prices at which, or within which all goods made wholly or partly of cotton, flax, wool or silk, may be imported. This is designed to insure the importation of articles of prime necessity and common use.

THE TAX LAW.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 17.

The leading features of the law, in brief, are a tax ad valorem on all property, and upon incomes, of five per cent., and a tax of ten per cent. on all the profits of trade and speculation. If the property in the Confederacy available for taxation is, as estimated, four thousand millions, the property tax under the new law will produce two hundred millions of revenue; the tax on income and profits will give probably a hundred millions more, and the tax on currency a virtual income of two hundred and fifty millions. These figures are merely used for illustrating the cogency of the measures now just enacted. If the Tax Law of 1863 should produce two hundred and fifty millions more, the effect of all this legislation on taxes and currency must be to produce a difference in favor of the Treasury approximating eight hundred millions of dollars in the course of the next six or twelve months!

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS.

THE REBEL MILITARY SITUATION.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 17.

The action of the army in reënlisting has given new impulse to the war. It quiets the uneasy distrust which had pervaded the people at home, and silences the enemy's confident predictions of speedy and easy subjugation. *The Southern home population may have been gloomy and despondent before; but brighter auspices have now dawnned upon the cause.* The corruption, selfishness and greed which had begun to hold high sway in the land, may have shaken the faith of many; but the army's action has inspired new trust in the race to which we belong. *This people are not yet ready for the conqueror's yoke*, and are still endowed with the patience of privation, the persevering resolution, and the stern, haughty courage which unfit them for subjugation. The army has revived the public self-respect, cheered the popular heart, put backsliders to shame, and opened a new chapter in the history of the war.

Well may the Northern President proclaim a new draft; for it is more than probable that the South will be stronger in the campaign of 1864 than it has been in any previous year of the war. The feeble reconnoissance on the Rapidan has disproved the current assertions at the North that Lee's army was reduced to a skeleton by desertions and furloughs; and that Meade's own retirement from his advanced position is an acknowledgement of the superior strength of his adversary.

Whilst the patriotic action of the army has relieved the Confederacy of apprehension for the Spring campaign, *the enemy exhibits symptoms of feebleness. The generally expected invasion of North Carolina, from the seaboard, has not been prosecuted; if ever projected by the enemy, it has been deferred for the want of troops. Butler's imposing advance from the Peninsula upon Richmond, has dwindled into a petty attempt to help a few prisoners run away. The land attack upon Charleston was repulsed by a single brigade*; and the renowned siege of that "doomed" city, about which the world was made stand on tiptoe for a painful length of time has developed into the most stupenduous abortion of modern times. Beaufort Island, which was to have been the base of and extended territorial conquest that would absorb a full fourth part of the Confederacy, has degenerated into a nest of petty speculators, penniless adventurers, add demoralized negroes. That military colony, instead of being the pride is the approbrium of the invaders. *Florida, though abandoned by the Confederacy*, still asserts herself against the Yankees, by occasional feats of courage and adventure, which utterly disprove the pretence of subjugation.

Even Trans-Alleghany-Virginia, where the presence of Confederate troops was supposed to have become an obsolete idea, has just witnessed some important operations—*one Confederate expedition having penetrated to the neighborhood of Cumberland, made important captures, and broken a chief line of railroad; another having advanced to the very banks of the Ohio River, and captured on its waters a Government vessel*, having on board the General commanding the Department of the Kanawha. Further west, Longstreet *has virtually captured Knoxville, but refuses to realize his prize on account of the pestilence which infests it*, and has turned Cumberland Gap, whose fall has become a mere question of time. *If Middle Tennessee is still under the enemy's dominion*, West Tennessee and North Mississippi are, for the most part, reclaimed to the Confederate allegiance by an army, under Forrest, recruited from the region itself. In Arkansas, *Confederate hopes are revived by a successful affair of arms on the Mississippi, and a promising advance on Little Rock.* In West Louisiana the invader is losing instead of gaining ground; and in Texas he confines himself to the seaboard, and has made no impression upon the country. *Nowhere does the enemy exhibit any vitality, or is he making any progress, except in Central Mississippi*, and probably he will find, when he shall reach the real ground of battle, *that his advance has been imprudent, if not rash and ruinous.*

The affairs of the Confederacy not only wear a hopeful, but a cheerful aspect.

THE YANKEE ARMY—ITS DEPLETION.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 10.

We have, from two different sources—each within the enemy's lines—the consistent story that Meade's army has been depleted by furloughs and desertions: *that it does not number more than twenty-five thousand men*; and that it is generally believed in the North that it will abandon the Rapidan, and move back upon Washington, preparatory to the Spring campaign. In one instance this account comes from a lady recently from Warrenton; in another instance, it is the relation of a Confederate officer, escaped from Fort McHenry, who arrived in Richmond a day or two since. The latter reports that he heard, and that it was believed, in Baltimore, that the recent demonstrations of the enemy on the Peninsula were intended to divert attention from Meade's preparations for a retreat.

These accounts have such uncommon intelligence and consistency, that we are inclined to attach much more credit to them than to the usual clap-trap of "reliable ladies" and escaped prisoners. *There is no doubt of the general fact, that but few reënlistments are occurring in the Yankee armies*, and that with reduced forces they must find it very difficult to hold all parts of that long military line, which extends from the Rappahannock to Jackson, in Mississippi.

It was reported by the telegraph, some days ago, *that the Kentuckians in the Yankee army in Tennessee have, to a man, refused to reënlist in Lincoln's army of subjugation.* They entered the service under the rallying cry of the Constitution and Union, and have since discovered the cheat and delusion. Many of Lincoln's other soldiers have no doubt shared in this discovery, and will take the "sober second thought," before reënlisting for the war.

DEATH OF PARSON BROWNLOW.

From the Richmond Examiner, Feb. 18.

The Lynchburgh *Republican*, of Tuesday last, announces the death of that vile old renegade, Wm. G. Brownlow, which occurred in Knoxville, a few days ago. The *Republican*, in making the above announcement, says the gallows has thus been cheated of its due.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Conference Committee on the Revenue Bill.

The Senate Agrees and the House Disagrees to its Report.

The House Demands a Tax on Spirits on Hand.

Confirmation of a Large Number of Appointments.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE N. Y. TIMES.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

THE QUOTA OF NEW-YORK.

The Commission appointed some time since by the Secretary of War, at the request of Gov. Seymour, to examine into the correctness of the quota of New-York, have recommended in their report, which has just been received here, a reduction in the quota of the State of between seven and eight thousand on the October call for 300,000 men, or about twelve thousand on the two calls of five hundred thousand.

Major Hillhouse, former Assistant Adjt.-General of the State, is here to obtain from the War Department a reassignment of the quota, in accordance with the recommendation of the Commission. The following gentlemen have been selected by the War Department to examine the matter: Hon. W. F. Allen, of Oswego, N. Y.; Hon. Chauncey Smith, of Boston, and Gen. John Love, of Indiana. The matter will probably be determined to-morrow.

A RAID BY MOSBY'S.

It is reported that Mosby made a raid on the Orange and Alexandria Railroad last night, and captured 49 mules and horses.

THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC.

It is positively asserted here to-night that the Army of the Potomac is to be formed into three Grand Divisions—Sedgwick to command the right, Pleasanton the centre, and Hancock the left. Gen. Kilpatrick is to command the Cavalry Corps.

FESTIVITIES IN THE ARMY.

Mr. R. E. Paul sends the following: The Second Corps last evening gave a ball, at the headquarters of Gen. Warren, which was the most *recherché* and select affair known in the history of the army. A limited number of tickets were issued, so that those who were present enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent.

Among the guests were Vice-President Hamlin and daughter, Senator Wilson and lady, and Miss Wells, the latter from New-York, Senator Sprague and lady, Senator Howard and son, Mrs. Senator Hale and daughter, Rev. O. A. Brownson and daughter, Gov. Ramsey and wife, Miss Stevens, daughter of the well-known authoress; Gens. Meade, Warren, Pleasanton, Sedgwick, Sykes, Kilpatrick, Newton, Merritt, Davies, and ladies and sons, and Miss Bean, of New-York. To-day Gen. Meade reviewed the Second Corps and Gen. Kilpatrick's Cavalry Division. The review was highly satisfactory.

THE WHISKY FIGHT.

The whisky speculators, who were confident that the report of the Conference Committee would be adopted, were completely dumfounded to-day when the House, by the decisive vote of eighty-six to fifty-seven, rejected it. It is obvious that the majority of the House is fixed in its determination to tax the stock on hand and to save from seven to eight millions to the Treasury. It is a fixed fact that a tax of from twenty to thirty cents per gallon will be placed on all liquors in store. In the Committee of Conference the members on the part of the Senate were all opposed to taxing stock on hand; of the members on the part of the House, Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, and Fernando Wood both voted for taxing stock on hand in the Conference Committee. Mr. Washburne insisted upon raising the sliding scale as an equivalent for reducing the tax of stock on hand to twenty cents per gallon. Wood, instead of voting with Washburne to set any tax, went with Stevens. Mr. Washburne alone dissented from the report. His speech to-day saved the Treasury not less than seven millions of dollars.

WANT OF CURRENCY.

The great and only obstacle in the way of sending forward recruits to the army in the field rapidly, is the want of suitable currency to pay the United States bounty. The Sub-Treasurer in New-York has no notes of small denominations—such as ones, twos and fives—and it is impossible for the disbursing officers to pay the advance bounty without them.

DISPATCHES TO THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

DIPLOMATIC AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS CONFIRMED.

The Senate was in executive session three hours to-day, and confirmed the following nominations: George F. Seward, of New-York, to be Consul-General at Shanghai; Franklin Chase, of Maine, Consul-General at Tampico; Joseph C. A. Wingate, of New-Hampshire, Consul at Swatow; Henry J. Cuniffe, of New-Mexico, Consul at Paso del Norte; George P. Hansen, of Illinois, Consul at Elsinore; Aaron Young, Jr., of Maine, Consul at Rio Grande, Brazil; Richard E. Morse, Consul at Curacoa; Benjamin F. Hall, of Colorado Territory, Consul at Valparaiso; Jay T. Howard, of Pennsylvania, Consul at Naples; B. L. Hill, of Michigan, Consul at San Juan del Sur; W. H. Blake, of Indiana, Consul at Manzanilla; Joseph C. Morse, of Ohio, Consul at Amsterdam; Winston J. Trowbridge, of Connecticut, Consul at Barbados; Joseph Boutwell, Consul at Dublin; Albert Rhodes, of Pennsylvania, Consul at Jerusalem; Lewis W. Tappan, Jr., of Massachusetts, Consul at Batavia; Albert G. Riddle, of Ohio, Consul at Matanzas; George V. Tefft, of Maine, Consul at Stockholm; John S. Smith, of Pennsylvania, Consul at Candia; Charles P. Hanna, of New-Jersey, Consul at Demerara.

The following of Collectors of Internal Revenue were confirmed:

Edward L. Pierce, 3d District Massachusetts; John H. Morris, 10th District New-York; Lewis Capham, District of Columbia; Andrew S. Case, 2d District Virginia; Philip D. More, Washington Territory.

To be Assessors of Internal Revenue:

Frederick H. Piper, 12th District Illinois; Andrew Hyatt, 10th District New-York; Hascall Ransford, 19th District New-York; John W. Killinger, 10th District Pennsylvania; William H. Jessup, 12th District Pennsylvania; Josiah Willard, 3d District Virginia; Peter Page, 1st District Illinois; Lute A. Taylor, 6th District Wisconsin.

James W. Shanklin, of California, to be Receiver of Public Moneys for the District of San Francisco; John F. Swift, of California, to be Register of the Land Office at San Francisco; Passed Assistant-Surgeon W. Shively to be Surgeon in the navy, vice Surgeon W. P. Harrison, dismissed; Passed Assistant Surgeon Henry F. McSherry to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon B. F. Black, transferred to the retired list; Passed Assistant Surgeon Samuel J. Jones to be Surgeon, vice S. O. Engles, transferred to the retired list; Passed Assistant Surgeon C. J. Cleborne, to be Surgeon, vice R. L. Webber, transferred to the retired list; Josiah H. Calver, of New-York, to be Assistant Surgeon in the navy, vice C. O. Carpenter, resigned; John McD. Rice, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Surgeon in the navy, vice Carter; Samuel J. Draper, of Delaware, to be Assistant Surgeon in the navy, vice R. E. Van Gierson, resigned; Robert Willard, of Massachusetts, to be Assistant Surgeon in the navy, vice C. P. Pierson, deceased; John W. Coles of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Surgeon in the navy, vice A. Hutchins, resigned; William H. Jones, of Pennsylvania, to be Assistant Surgeon in the navy, vice J. H. Mears, resigned; William T. Kemp, of Maryland, to be Assistant Surgeon in the navy, vice J. G. McGee, transferred to the retired list. The following were also confirmed as Assistant Surgeons in the navy: David V. Whitney, of Illinois, vice J. W. Shively, nominated for promotion; Charles H. Page, of New-Hampshire, vice H. F. McSherry, nominated for promotion; William R. Reber, of Pennsylvania, vice J. J. Gibson, nominated for promotion; J. R. Tryon, vice S. J. Jones, nominated for promotion; David Mack, Jr., of Massachusetts, vice W. W. Leavitt, resigned; James N. Hyde, of Connecticut, vice D. W. Ballentine, deceased; James M. Flint, of New-Hampshire, vice H. S. Plympton, deceased; William Commens, of Indiana, vice W. Y. Terry, resigned; Charles M. Scammon to be First Lieutenant in the Revenue Cutter service; Myrick Snow to be Second Lieutenant in the Revenue Cuttar service; William Walker to be Third Lieutenant in the Revenue Cutter service.

The following are confirmed as Chief Engineers in the Navy: First Assistant Engineer, William Roberts; First Assistant Engineer, Jackson McElwell; First Assistant Engineer, Alexander Greer; First Assistant Engineer, John H. Long. Charles Upson, of California, to be Surgeon-General of California; Horatio N. Marsh, to be Deputy Postmaster at Joliet, Illinois. To be additional Paymasters in the Volunteer forces: Dudley W. Rhodes, Ohio; Wellington Vrooman, West Virginia; Champion S. Chase, Wisconsin; George B. Congdon, Wisconsin; Joseph Tilden, Illinois; Marshall Grover, Indiana; Nathaniel C. Sawyer, Vermont; Henry C. Grant, Michigan; Barnabas B. Hammond, Rhode Island; George P. Lawrence, Massachusetts; John S. Herrick, Ohio; Josiah Miller, Kansas; William C. Lupton, Indiana; George Truesdale, New-York; James S. Thurston, New-York; Edward G. Fahnstock, Pennsylvania; Robert D. Clark, Pennsylvania; John H. Dalman, Ohio; P. S. Turney, Ohio; John W. Wallace, Pennsylvania; Selden E. Marvin, New-York; Nicholas St. John Green, Massachusetts; Charles R. Littlefield, New-York; Ethan S. Reynolds, Indiana; Benj. Gregory, New-York; George W. Hancock, Ohio; William H. H. Allen, New-Hampshire; David T. Dickson, Illinois; Edward Walcott, Massachusetts; Peter P. G. Hall, Pennsylvania; George Putnam, California; Elias Cooper, Illinois; Joseph Moore, Pennsylvania; George B. Dudley, New-York; Nelson H. Van Voorhees, Ohio; George W. Candee, Illinois; Francis B. Dixon, Virginia; Egbert T. Smith, Ohio; Guy H. Watkins, Pennsylvania; J. D. Pulsifer, Maine; Zachariah Voorhies, New-York; George A. Hamilton, Illinois; James Whitchell, Pennsylvania; David Wyman, New-York; James H. Lea, Illinois; Thomas H. Haviland, Massachusetts; John N. Scott, Indiana; George B. Hagin, Iowa; John W. King, Ohio; Hark Hollingshead, Ohio; William H. Blair, Pennsylvania; Joseph Harris, Wisconsin; Warren C. Emmerson, Ohio; Thomas J. Sanders, Iowa; Geo. Cunningham, Maryland; Thomas Crawford, Minnesota; William H. Dickinson, Pennsylvania; William J. Davidson, New-York; D. P. Forrest, New-York; M. S. Gunckle, Ohio; Horace H. Hurm, Wisconsin; R. B. Haythorn, New Jersey; M. G. Hart, New-York; Rufus Haywood, New-York; S. V. Halliday, Pennsylvania; R. M. See, jr., Pennsylvania; L. Longberry, Connecticut; Henry Lines, Wisconsin; G. W. Lopping, Indiana; W. S. Lamb, Indiana; Allen McKane, Pennsylvania; George Morton, Ohio; James E. McHenry, Massachusetts; F. W. Northup, Connecticut; J. H. Nelson, Michigan; William V. Porter, New-York; C. D. Rosser, Massachusetts; Walter K. Scott, Indiana; D. Smith, Minnesota; W. M. Smith, Indiana; Albert P. Shreve, Ohio; H. O. Snyder, Pennsylvania; F. C. Tarr, Maryland; William D. Thompson, Pennsylvania; Thomas E. Williams, Missouri; Charles A. Warner, Minnesota.

Paymasters in the regular army: Edward Wright, of Illinois; Rodney Smith, of Kentucky, and John P. Brua, Additional Paymaster.

Paymasters in the Navy—Assistant Paymasters Ambrose J. Clark, George Cochrane, Levi S. Stockwell, Thomas F. Caswell, George A. Sawyer.

To be Hospital Chaplains—James Guffey, N. J.; Henry Stevens, West Va.; S. M. Beatty, Ohio; John M. Green, Md.; Rodney Gage, Mass.; John A. Sooner, Md.; Simeon P. Ives, Ill.; James B. Crane, Penn.; Thomas H. W. Monroe, Dist. Col.; Jacob Fronkel, Penn.; Peter McGerone, Penn.; Edward McGlynn, N. Y.; Griffiths Pivin, Md.; D. C. Ormsby, N. Y.; D. D. McKee, Ind.; John W. Arthur, Del.; William C. Smith, Ala.; William K. Talbot, Kentucky; Almon Gregory, Md.; William L. Mather, Mass.; William Earnshaw, Penn.; Franklin W. Olmsted, Vt.; Joseph A. Stephan, Ind.; Thomas Willett, N. Y.; Norman W. Camp, N. J.; William H. Paddock, Pa.; Charles N. Heisley, N. J.; J. Crawford, Pa.; Robert Day, N. Y.; William J. Potter, Mass.; Patrick F. McCarthy, D. C.; J. A. Heyden, Tenn., Manuel J. Gonsalves, Tenn.; Alex. Shiras, Pa.; Philip McKim, Mo.; James Schofield, Iowa; Chauncey W. Fitch, Indiana; John Vohey, Illinois; D. D. Von Anwerp, North Carolina; James H. Brown, Pennsylvania; Alfred Nevin, Pennsylvania; Herman Eggress, Tennessee; Charles Carsner, Pennsylvania; Christopher Crounch, Pennsylvania.

In addition to the above, the Senate confirmed the nominations of about 150 Assistant Quartermasters and Commissaries of Subsistence

HEAVY ROBBERY OF AN ARMY PAYMASTER.

Last night, Maj. Malone, Paymaster in the United States army, was robbed of $70,000, which he had drawn from the Treasury, for the purpose of carrying to the front in order to pay certain regiments. It appears that after drawing the money he took it to his home and put it in a trunk under his bed and supposed it safe. Some time during the night the trunk was taken from his room, and this morning a servant in the house found the trunk in the stable, broken open, and an amount of postage currency scattered around. A number of arrests have been made on suspicion,

THE QUICKSILVER CASE.

The California Quicksilver case has attracted to the Supreme Court many interested parties. Judge Black and Caleb Cushing are counsel for the company. The former made a motion to-day to exclude the United States from the controversy, on the ground that the Government was not a party in the court below, having filed no exceptions and taken no appeal. The court refused to decide on this motion until they hear the whole case. Mr. Carlisle, of Washington, and Mr. Williams, of California, appear for the claimant. Senator Reverdy Johnson represents the New-Almaden Company, and seeks to withdraw his appeal.

THE HOUSE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE ON THE WHISKY BILL.

The Speaker has appointed as the new conferees, on the part of the House on the Whisky bill. Representatives Washburne of Illinois, Kasson and Dawson.

PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

ABSENCE OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT.

A letter was presented to the Senate from the Vice-President, stating that he would be absent from the Senate for a short time.

On motion, Mr. Foote, (Union,) of Vermont, was elected President *pro tem.*

A STANDING ARMY OF NEGROES.

Mr. Sumner, of Massachusetts, (Union,) presented the petition of Mr. Job B. Stockton, of Arkansas, which states that he believes that the African material is the best for a soldier, and asking that Congress shall establish, after the close of the present war, a regular army of 200,000 men, composed entirely of negroes, to be officered by white men entirely. Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

RELIEF FOR FREEDMEN.

Mr. Sumner presented a petition of the women of Ohio, praying that something be done to ameliorate the condition of those persons who have been freed from Slavery by the present war. Referred to the same committee.

ALL SOLDIERS ON THE SAME FOOTING.

Mr. Sumner also presented petitions from citizens of New-York, in favor of placing all soldiers on a similar footing. Referred to the Military Committee.

THE ABOLITION OF SLAVERY.

Mr. Sumner presented petitions, signed by Josiah Quincy, Gov. Andrew, and the members of both branches of the Massachusetts Legislature, asking for such amendment to the Constitution as may abolish Slavery. Laid on the table.

Mr. Grimes, (Union,) of Iowa, presented the petition of numerous citizens of Iowa, asking for the passage of a law prohibiting Slavery. Referred to the Committee on Slavery and Freedmen.

LEGISLATION IN AID OF COMMERCE.

Mr. Morgan, of New-York, (Union) presented a memorial from the Chamber of Commerce of the City of New-York, praying for legislation on the part of Congress to foster and support the commerce of the United States. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

THE POLICY OF THE GOVERNMENT.

Mr. Carlisle, of Virginia, (Union,) offered the following joint resolutions:

First—That the military power of the Government can only be rightfully exerted against individuals in arms opposing its authority; that the prosecution of hostilities against the citizens of the States in rebellion ought to be for the sole purpose of maintaining the constitutional Union, and for the restoration of the Union upon the basis of the Constitution, leaving to each State the regulation of its own domestic policy, and protecting each and all in the enjoyment of the right of self-government as recognized by the Constitution of the United States.

Second—That the President be requested to declare by proclamation, whenever the people of any of the States now resisting the authority of the United States shall reorganize their State Government by repudiating the ordinances of secession adopted in their name, and shall recognize their obligations to the Union under the Constitution, full pardon and amnesty to the people of such State, assuring the citizens thereof that all their rights of person and of property under the Constitution shall be restored to them—excepting, however, from such pardon and amnesty such persons as shall be designated by the Legislatures of the several States as fit persons to be held for trial before the judicial tribunals of the United States, under the laws thereof.

Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

INCREASING THE NUMBER OF CADETS AT WEST POINT.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, (Union,) the Committee on Military Affairs was instructed to inquire into the expediency of increasing the number of cadets in the Military Academy to the number of 400, and requiring the age of candidates to be not less than 17 years; also, for raising the standard of qualifications, and for changing the manner of their appointment, so as to provide that the examination for admission shall be based upon the merits of the candidates.

EQUALIZING THE PAY OF SOLDIERS.

On motion of Mr. Wilson the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the joint resolution equalizing the pay of United States soldiers.

Mr. Wilson presented a modification of his amendment heretofore offered, which makes it discretionary with the President to allow negro troops bounty previous to the passage of the act.

The amendment, as modified, was reported.

Mr. Davis, of Kentucky (Dem.,) called up the amendment to disarm the colored troops, and provide for their enlistment as teamsters and laborers.

The amendment was rejected.

Ayes—Messrs. Buckalew, Carlisle, Davis, Powell, Riddle, Saulsbury, Wright—7.

Nays—Messrs. Chandler, Clark, Collamer, Conness, Dixon, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Grimes, Hale, Harding, Harlan, Harris, Henderson, Howard, Howe, Johnson, Lane of Indiana, Lane of Kansas, Morgan, Morrill, Nesmith, Ramsay, Sherman, Sumner, Ten Eyck, Van Winkle, Wade, Willey, Wilson—30.

THE REVENUE BILL.

Mr. Fessenden, of Maine, (Union,) presented the report of the Committee of Conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the Revenue Bill.

The Senate agreed to the report of the Committee of Conference.

PROMOTING ENLISTMENTS.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the pending question—the joint resolution to promote enlistments.

Mr. Clark, of New-Hampshire, (Union,) would like to know why black men should not be armed and put into the service.

Mr. Davis, of Kentucky, (Dem.,) had answered that question forty times in the Senate.

Mr. Clark said this was not merely a question about the pay of colored troops, but a question whether we shall put black men into the field to save our white men. It was a matter of interest to the country that black men should be employed, because it saved the blood of the white men. When we put arms in the hands of the black men, and he uses them in the service of our country to advantage, he should not, therefore, be enslaved. The mere fact of his having been in the service should be a protection from bondage.

Mr. Collamer, (Union) of Vermont, offered an amendment, which provides that all persons enlisted into the service under the call of 1863 for 300,000 volunteers, shall receive the same pay and bounty.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, the further consideration of the subject was postponed.

On motion of Mr. Sumner, the Senate at half-past one o'clock proceeded to the consideration of Executive business, and at four o'clock adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

THE BUREAU OF FREEDMEN'S AFFAIRS.

The House resumed the consideration of the bill to establish a Bureau for Freedmen's affairs.

Mr. Kelley, of Pennsylvania, (Union,) speaking of the past, said Slavery had been excluded from the Northwest Territory, and from the wording of the Constitution, as a recognized institution, denying that it ever had had such an existence. Had the counsels of the patriots of other days prevailed, and had the statesmen who succeeded them followed their just and humane teachings, Slavery would long since have been abolished, and other questions than than which now distracted the country would be in the course of peaceful solution. But the Government was intrusted to the hands of wicked demagogues, who, departing from justice, had involved us in rebellion. It was the part of wise legislators to accept the facts as they stood to-day, and apply to them the proper principles, and so evolve from the horrors that surrounded us, a system that should be in accordance with the spirit of the age and Christian civilization. The bill was well calculated to produce these high results. Its immediate passage was demanded, from the fact that the ancient order of things had been destroyed over a territory larger than that of the original thirteen States. Not only the North, but the world at large, demanded the well-directed cultivation of the lands now and soon to be within our control. Replying to Mr. Cox, who had said that amalgamation was becoming a principle at the North, he said Northern white men never selected their companions from the African race, and referred to the fact that amalgamation was practiced at the South, there being more than half a million of such kindred to the whites in that portion of the country, some of whom had attended colleges in the North. The South had sent us what we have of the stock. Slavery is dead. Let us give it a decent burial, and erect a monument at the mouth of the sepulchre so heavy that it cannot be removed. Let there be appended to it the Constitution of the United States, written therein: "Slavery or involuntary servitude, except for crime, shall be forever prohibited within the United States and the Territories thereof." When this is done, Slavery will be dead beyond resurrection, and the United States will be freedom's star of welcome to the oppressed of the world. "Will you," he asked the opposition members, "give us your vote for the bill as a test of your sincerity?" But Slavery is not quite dead, but is in the act of death, and we may pass on to the next duty. Having eradicated Slavery, let us secure freedom to the people who have been the victims of Slavery. By the destruction of Slavery we will rise to a new and higher freedom, and out of this insurrection will grow a resurrection which will lead us to a glorious immortality.

THE REVENUE BILL.

A message was received from the Senate announcing their concurrence in the report of the Committee on Conference on the disagreeing amendments to the whisky bill; when

Mr. Stevens, of Pennsylvania, (Union,) briefly explained the report of the committee, and moved that the House concur in the report.

Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, (Union,) stated some of the reasons which induced him to withhold his assent to the report of the Committee of Conference. He believed not only in the principle but in the justice and policy of taxing the stock of liquors on hand, and he had consistently voted for that proposition in every stage of the bill, and gave his reasons for doing so. In conclusion, he moved that the report be disagreed to, and that the House ask for another Committee of Conference.

Mr. Fernando Wood, (Dem.,) of New-York, felt it to be his duty to give the reasons why, as a member of the Committee of Conference, he agreed to the report. He fully agreed with Mr. Washburne in all that gentleman had said in support of his (Wood's) amendment in taxing spirits on hand, which he had had the honor to offer and which had been adopted by so large a vote. He believed it right, politic and wise to tax whisky on hand, and regretted exceedingly that so many gentlemen, no doubt from proper motives, had changed their position in this House. The principle of that amendment had been ably discussed, and all the arguments which could be commanded had been expressed for and against it. He was ready to coöperate with that gentleman in sustaining that principle, and incorporate it if he would in another bill. But as he understood the powers of a Conference Committee, it was precluded from considering points about which there were no differences, and that their jurisdiction could extend only to those points which were in controversy. There were upon the Committee of Conference gentlemen whose long experience in legislation entitled their opinions to respect. He had no opinion of his own as to the powers of such committees. It was sufficient to say that gentlemen who had been sixteen years in Congress were of opinion that they had no jurisdiction over questions about which the two

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THE SANITARY FAIR.

Raffling at the Metropolitan Fair for the Sanitary Commission Abandoned.

The following letter, bearing date Jan. 27, from the Standing Committee of the Sanitary Commission to the Executive Board of the Metropolitan Fair, has induced the ladies composing the board to abandon the intended raffles. Whether the Sanitary Commission has declined to accept the large sums of money that have been raised by fairs in other cities, by the agencies which they now deprecate so earnestly, we are not aware:

UNITED STATES SANITARY COMMISSION, }
No. 823 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Jan. 27, 1864. }

To the Executive Board of the Metropolitan Fair:

LADIES: The Standing Committee of the United States Sanitary Commission, having had the subject of "raffling" brought before them, in connection with the Metropolitan Fair, desire to say very respectfully to your committee, as they have said to the Gentlemen's Committee, that they are deliberately opposed to any resort to this questionable means of disposing of any of the articles on sale.

They are opposed to it on these grounds:

1. It is illegal; and an institution like the Sanitary Commission, designed to minister to the wants of those who suffer in maintaining the cause of law and order in our national conflict, ought not, directly or indirectly, to give the least countenance to an illegal proceeding, even if winked at by the authorities or authorized by custom.

2. Without debating the principle involved, the actual influence of an appeal to the *lot* has been found so perilous to the social and moral interests of society that its disuse is precisely proportioned to the advance of law, order, and moral and Christian culture. As public money lotteries have yielded to the rise of moral sentiment in this community, is it not time that all other kinds should follow them? and is not the present moment a good one to strike at the root of the custom of raffling at fairs, which has survived most other forms of this evil?

3. The Sanitary Commission, owing whatever pecuniary or other support it has received to the confidence reposed in its law-abiding and moral character, feels that no increase in the pecuniary results of the proposed fair, accruing from the use of any means subject to just question on either ground, could repay it for the loss of confidence which it must suffer from such support.

It cheerfully accepts any deduction from the probable returns from the fair occasioned by adherence to the highest principles in the conduct of it. Understanding that the Ladies' Committee, inspired by high moral considerations, have already adopted rules restraining the more obvious evils of raffling, we cannot doubt that they will rejoice to perfect their good work by abolishing the custom. They have hesitated to do this probably only from fears of surrendering the pecuniary interest of the fair. They will no longer hesitate, we trust, when we express our full readiness to run all the risk of this loss.

Respectfully yours,
HENRY W. BELLOWS, }
C. R. AGNEW,
W. H. VAN BUREN,
G. T. STRONG,
WOLCOTT GIBBS,
Standing Committee of the U. S. Sanitary Commission.

The following reply to the above communication was received by Rev. Dr. BELLOWS, in an official communication from Mrs. HAMILTON FISH, President of the Ladies' Committee, on Friday, Feb. 19:

Resolved, The ladies of the Executive Board, associated in a great enterprise under the auspices of the Sanitary Commission, have resolved, that in deference to a formal petition sent to them by the Standing Committee of that Commission, and in obedience to the law, they do hereby abandon all raffles and lotteries as a means of raising money at their proposed fair.

Explanatory Letter from Rev. Dr. Bellows

NEW-YORK, Feb. 22, 1864.

In sending you the correspondence between the Standing Committee of the United States Sanitary Commission and the lady managers of the Metropolitan Fair, on the subject of "raffling," I beg leave to say that when the fair was started and the generous services of the managers were obtained, the objections to raffling had not taken so clear a form as to give anybody the impression that it could be abolished. The most that was hoped for was that the practice could be regulated, and to this point the Ladies' Committee courageously addressed themselves. It was well known that even Church fairs profited by this custom, and that clergymen's salaries had been eked out by its fruits. It is not surprising that a sudden and vehement expression of scruples, imputing bluntness to the consciences of the managers of the fair, should have aroused some indignation and retarded their disposition to yield, under moral duress and threats of the law, to such an unexpected outbreak of conscientiousness. The truth is, the subject is new. The moral sensibility of any considerable portion of the public in regard to it is new. Pious and conscientious people have raffled too lately, with perfect innocency of feeling, to be able at once to appreciate the moral evil of the usage, or the scruples of those who oppose it; and there are still many thorough and excellent Christians who regard the custom, when confined to benevolent fairs, as wholly unobjectionable.

On the other hand, the same may be said of most of the evils which have yielded to the rising tide of Christian sentiment. They have enjoyed the countenance of many of the excellent and judicious up to the very hour of their fall. Things which are not evil in themselves, but only made evil by those tendencies, are not easily characterized. Those who have not had special reasons for considering their tendencies do not see their evil. The Standing Committee of the Sanitary Commission having had their most anxious attention drawn to all the consequences of the custom of raffling, have thought it their duty to discourage it on the grounds given in their communication to the ladies. They desire, however, to acknowledge their full appreciation of the difficulties which have embarrassed the managers of the fair in adopting their conclusion, and to express their grateful sense of the ladies' compliance with their wishes.

It is not to be concealed that the pecuniary success and immediate interest of the fair are greatly imperilled by the abandonment of a custom which has enlivened fairs as well as filled their treasuries. Let those, then, who with ourselves have felt it to be a duty to discountenance "raffling," turn their minds to some practical suggestions for supplying innocent substitutes for the custom. Is our invention so poverty-stricken that we cannot devise some other means than this for giving interest to our fairs? Above all, let that portion of the public who rejoice in this effort to stop a practice which was at least first cousin, if not own brother, to the "lottery," see to it that the interests of sick and wounded soldiers do not suffer by the high ground now taken in regard to raising the means for their succor.

Very respectfully yours,
HENRY W. BELLOWS.

The Clergy and Raffling at the Fair.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Will you admit a reply to your article of this morning concerning the proposed raffling at the Metropolitan Fair?

First, as to the logic and the facts of the clergymen. They said that "raffling" was, "in their conviction, contrary to the word of God." You quote them as asserting "that the mode of distributing goods by lot was condemned by the Scriptures." Of course you get an easy victory over your imaginary opponents.

They said that "the judgment of the civilized world, *as expressed in the legislation of many Christian States, (our own in particular,)* condemns as immoral all resort to the lot, or what is commonly called chance, *for the purpose of raising money, or disposing of articles not otherwise readily saleable.*" But you sink their definition entirely, and declare: "These clergymen also condemn it, (the distribution of goods by lot,) as contrary to the sense and practice of the civilized world," upon which presentation of their cause you easily confound them.

Now, the use of the lot in the distribution of goods is only one element of raffling; the other is the previous purchase of a right to draw, by the payment of a sum which is smaller than the value of the article to be drawn. A man might give a house to be drawn for by his children. The act would be unwise, but the drawing would not be raffling, for the privilege of drawing is decided by the act of the father, and not by any payment to be made by the children. It is just at this point that the mischief of raffling comes in. A man is tempted to *give something which he has*, in hope of securing, without skill or labor, *something greater, which he has not.* The disposition to this kind of lazy venturing is so largely developed, and it becomes so strong and so mischievous, that the law of our State wisely prohibits the whole process.

The question now is, whether raffling, which ordinarily is so mischievous, becomes right when the proceeds are to be devoted to charitable purposes. The answer is double—yes and no. So far as the parties proposing the raffle are concerned, there is a broad difference between the selfish and heartless proprietor of a lottery and the benevolent conductors of a charitable fair. So far as the mischievous influence upon the rafflers is concerned, the charitable raffle is in some particulars just as bad as the lottery, and in others far worse. Some persons, indeed, will buy their tickets only for the sake of aiding the charity. These, of course, having no eye to the goods, will tear up their tickets. The goods if they shall fall to them will then have no claimant, and the raffle will be renewed, and the charity will gain in proportion. Such disinterested venturers will get their money's worth out of the charity, and no harm out of the raffle. It is probable, however, that a larger number will buy tickets in order to help the charity *and to get the goods*. They may not get them, and then they will fall back upon their charity, though with very different degrees of contentment. But many of them will draw prizes, and these will taste all the dangerous pleasures of the lottery—a pleasure which many a young person will never forget, and which he may easily seek the next time, not at all for charity's sake, but for its own.

In a word, this Metropolitan Fair, in the name of benevolence and patriotism and Christian pity, proposes to introduce thousands of our youth to all the mischievous fascination of gaming. It will do more than introduce them. It will lead them on by opportunities numerous and tempting enough to form a habit. Moreover, this Fair, after the discussion which has been had, will set the pattern for the future. What will be right in March will be right in April, and so through the year, and through the country. For, if the sacred name of charity is to prevail against law, it will be long before raffling shall lack a license in this land of sufferers and orphans. But is it just to our people to say that charity cannot do her work among us unless she makes a vicious ally of our covetousness? And when our morals and self-respect shall have adapted themselves to this degrading estimate, what will the gain be?

The conscientious clergymen of this City may be counted foolish and unpractical in their effort to keep down the flood-gates of so great an evil. But surely those persons assume a fearful responsibility, who in the face of the gravest remonstrances from so many quarters persist in lifting them. H. D. G.

NEW-YORK, Feb. 19, 1864.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange....FEB. 23, 1864.

$23,000 U. S. 6s,'81.Co..111	60 Cen. Am. Tr. Co.... 40
20,000 U.S.6s,5-20s,Reg.107⅛	500 Erie R..............121⅛
6,000 U.S. 6s, 5-20s, Co.107	1600 do..............121
15,000 do..........107⅛	1050 do..............120⅝
1,000 U.S. 5s,'74 Co.In.100	100 do.........s60.121
15,000 Treas. 7 3-10 p. c. Notes..Oct.& Ap.110⅞	400 do..............120⅛
1,000 do..Feb.& A.110	700 do..............120⅛
2,000 U.S.6s,1-yr.C.... 99⅛	600 do.........b30.121
20,000 do.......... 99⅛	500 do..............120⅞
1,000 Ohio St. 6s, '81...105	300 do..........s10.120⅞
2,000 Ill. Coup. 6s, '79.103	100 do.........b30 121⅛
5,000 Ky. State 6s......101	100 do.........s30.120⅛
1,000 Mo. St. 6s......... 74⅝	100 do.........s10.120⅛
4,000 do......... 74⅞	100 do.........b10. 121
30,000 do........... 75	300 Erie Railway Pr....106⅞
5,000 do.........b30 75⅛	600 Hudson Riv. R......158
10,000 Mo. 6s, issued to Pac. R............75⅛	200 do..............157⅛
4,000 N. C. State 6s.... 58	900 do..............157
55,000 O. & Miss. C..... 42	30 do..............156⅛
40,000 do.......... 42⅞	200 do..............157⅛
30,000 do.......... 42⅜	200 Harlem R.Prf.......115⅞
10,000 do.......... 42⅛	600 Reading R..........132
20,000 do.......... 42⅜	1600 do..............132⅛
10,000 N. Y. Cen. 6s.....106	1300 do..............133
1,000 N. Y. C. 7s, '76...114	400 do.........s10 133
1,000 Er. 3d M. Bs.....119	300 do.........b30.133⅛
2,000 Erie 2d M. Bs.'79.116	440 do..............133⅛
1,000 Hud. R. 3d M.....140	300 do.........s30.133
2,000 A. & T. H. 1st M.104	200 do.........b10.133⅛
15,000 C.&N.W.2dM.... 80	200 Mich. Cen. R..s60.139⅛
15,000 do............ 80⅛	500 do..............139⅛
1,000 Mil. & P.D.C.1st.104	700 do..............139⅞
4,000 Tol. & W. 2d M.. 89	500 do..............138⅛
16,000 P.,F.W.& C. 3d.. 90	300 do..............139
90,000 Miss. & Mo. L. G. 71	600 do.........b30.139⅜
3,000 Atl.G.W.&O.1stM 94	400 do.........b30.140
3,000 Mar. M.Co.1 M... 75⅛	100 M. So. & N.I.R.b10 97⅞
10,000 Amer. Gold......157⅛	100 do.........b10 97⅞
15,000 do...........157⅝	100 do.........b30 98
24,000 do...........157⅜	100 do.........b30 97⅞
100 Btch. & Drov. B'k 125	400 do.............. 97⅜
10 Bank of Commerce.108	600 do.............. 97⅛
10 Hanover Bank......100⅛	1100 do.............. 96⅞
300 Canton Co......... 45	200 M. So. & N. I. G. S.142⅝
450 do.......... 45⅛	50 do.........b10.143
600 do.......... 46	25 Panama R.........227
900 do.......... 45⅛	300 Ill. Cen. Full S,b30.124
300 do.........b30 46⅛	400 do..............123⅞
500 do..........b30. 46	200 do.........b30.124⅛
31 Del. & H.Ca.Co....193	500 Chi. & Alt. Pref.... 96
5 do..............192⅛	100 do.........b10 97
50 do..............193⅛	300 Ill. Cen. R. Scp....134⅛
300 Central Coal Co..... 59	200 do.........s30 133⅛
200 do.......... 59⅛	400 do..............133⅛
300 do.......... 59⅜	300 do.........b30.134
200 Cumb. Coal Prf..... 68	400 do..............134
1000 do.......... 67⅞	200 Cle. and Pit. R. b10.117⅛
50 do.........b10 67⅞	300 do.........s30.117⅛
400 do.......... 67⅞	700 do.........b10.117⅞
100 do..........s10 67⅛	1400 do..............117⅜
600 Quick. M. Co....... 61⅛	500 do..............117⅞
100 do..........b30 62	900 do..............117⅛
300 do.........b15 62	70 Clev., Col.& Cin.R.156
300 do..........b15 61⅛	600 Gal.&Ch. R.........120
100 do.......... 62⅛	400 do.........b10.120
500 do.......... 62	800 Cleve. & Tol. R.....146
600 do.......... 60⅞	1600 do..............145⅞
500 do.......... 61⅛	500 do..............145⅛
100 do.......... 60⅜	250 Chic. & R. I. R.....120⅛
400 do.......... 61⅛	600 do..............120
1050 do.......... 61	100 do.........b30.120
200 Am. Coal Co....... 88	275 Chi. B. & Q. R......133
400 Copake Iron M..... 13⅛	25 do..............132⅛
200 do.......... 14	100 M. & P.du C. R...... 65
400 do.......... 13⅞	400 do.............. 65⅛
300 Mar. Min. Co....... 33	400 do.............. 65⅞
200 do.......... 32⅞	200 do.........b10 66
400 do.......... 32⅞	200 do.........b30 66
100 do.........b30 33	5 Mil.&P.DuC. 2d Pr. 83
200 Quartz H. M.Co..... 14	100 do.............. 82⅛
100 Min. Mining Co.b30 82	400 Tol. & Wab. R...... 59
25 Pacific M. S. Co....220	700 do.............. 60
400 do..........219	600 do.............. 60⅛
150 do..........219⅛	200 Tol. & Wab. Pr.... 79
33 do..........219⅜	250 P., Ft. W. & C.....101
300 N. Y. Cen. R.......137⅞	200 do.........s10.100⅛
600 do..........137⅛	100 do.........b10.100
400 do..........137⅛	1710 do..............100
400 do..........137	750 do.............. 99⅛
500 do..........137⅞	400 do.............. 99
600 do.........b10 137⅜	600 Alt. & T. H.R....... 67
100 do.........s10. 137⅛	200 do.............. 66⅛
100 do.........b60.137⅞	300 do.............. 66⅛
50 do..........s60 137⅛	400 do.............. 66
300 do..........b5.137⅛	200 do.........s30 66
600 do..........137⅝	100 Chi. & N. W........ 53⅛
2300 Harlem R...........120	900 do.............. 53⅛
2800 do..........120⅛	300 do.............. 53
300 do.........b30.120⅞	100 do.........s30 53
200 do..........b30 120⅜	15 Chic. & N. W. Pr... 65
200 do..........120⅛	100 Chi. & Alton....... 88⅞
	200 Mar. & C. 1stPr.... 69

SECOND BOARD.

$2,000 U. S. 6s, 5-20s Co.107	100 Harlem R. Pr.......117
75,000 American Gold...157⅛	1400 Reading R.........132⅛
200 Canton Co.......... 44⅞	100 Mich. Cen. R.......138⅛
400 do.......... 44⅞	100 do.........s30.137⅞
300 Cum. Coal Pref..... 67	100 do.........b5.138
300 do.......... 67⅛	1500 M. S. & N. I. R.... 97⅛
300 do.......... 67⅜	200 Clev. & Tol. R..s15.145⅛
50 do.........s60 67	500 do.............145⅛
800 Quicksil. M. Co..... 62	50 M. S. & N.I.G.S.....142⅞
700 do.......... 61⅛	500 Ill. Cen. R. S.......132⅛
250 do.......... 61⅛	50 do.............133
100 Pacific M. S. S. C.220	600 do.............132⅞
25 do..........219	200 do.........s10 132⅞
350 N. Y. Cen. R.......136⅛	100 do.........b3.133
100 do.........s30.136⅛	200 do.........b30.133⅛
300 Alt. & T.H. R....... 66⅛	900 Cleve. & P. R......116⅛
500 do.......... 66⅜	1000 do.............116⅛
500 Chi. & N. W. R..... 54	400 do.........b10.116⅛
100 Erie R..........s30. 119	250 Gal. & Chic. R......119
300 do..........119	600 do.............118⅞
600 do..........118⅞	200 do.........s10.118⅞
50 do.........b15.119	500 Chi. & R. I.........120
200 do..........118⅞	25 do.............120⅛
300 do.........b3.119	100 do.............120⅛
350 Erie R. Prf.........106⅛	200 Mil. & Pr. du Ch.... 65⅞
450 Hud. R. R..........157	1500 P., Ft. W. & Chi.... 99⅞
200 do..........156⅞	200 do.........b10.100
50 do.........b10.157⅛	200 do.............. 99⅞
1000 Harlem R..........121	500 do..............100

PUBLIC BOARD—1 P. M.

100 N. Y. C. R.ex-d...c.135⅞	100 Clev. & Pitts .. s3 117
50 do..........135⅛	1300 do.........b3 116⅛
100 do..........135⅞	600 do..............116⅞
100 do.........b3.136	200 do.........s3.116⅛
400 do..........136	200 do.........b3.116⅜
50 do..........135⅞	300 Clev. & Tol. R.b3.146⅛
200 Erie R..........118⅛	500 do..............146
600 do..........118⅞	200 do..............146⅛
4250 do..........118⅛	500 P., Ft.W. & C...... 99
2000 do.........s3.118⅛	100 do..............c 98⅞
500 do..........118⅛	500 do.............. 98⅞
1000 do.........b3.118⅛	750 do..........b3 99
300 do..........118⅞	300 do..........b3 98⅞
500 do.........b3.118⅛	100 do..........s3 98⅞
100 Erie Pref..........106⅛	100 do..........s3 98⅞
200 do..........106⅞	300 do..........b4 99
100 do.........b3.106⅞	150 Mil. & Pr.DuC.R.... 65⅛
500 Hudson R. R.......155⅛	100 Tol. & Wab. R...... 60⅛
100 Harlem R..........c.119⅛	$15,000 Miss. & Mo. L.G. Bds............71
400 do..........119⅛	200 Canton Co........s60 44
200 do..........119⅞	200 do.............. 44⅛
900 do..........120	100 Cum. Coal.......... 67
1300 do..........120⅛	200 do.........b3 67
200 do.........s3.120⅛	300 do.........s60 66
700 Reading R..........132	500 do.............. 66⅞
200 Mich. Cen. R.......139	100 do.............. 66⅞
100 do.........b3.139	700 Quicksilver M. Co.. 61⅜
300 M. S. & N. I. R...s3 97⅛	500 do.............. 61
300 do.......... 97⅞	500 do.............. 61⅛
850 Ill. Cen. R.........133	600 do.............. 61⅜
100 do..........133⅛	100 do.........b10 62
100 do.........s3.133	150 do.........b3 62
100 do.........b3.133⅛	400 do.............. 62
400 do..........133⅛	100 Canada Copper...c 5⅛
100 do..........133⅞	$5,000 Sandy R. Coal & OilCo.,1stM.B.b10 91
200 do..........133⅜	5,000 do.............. 90⅛
200 Gal. & Chi.........c.118⅛	
450 do..........118⅜	
100 do.........b3.118⅞	

PUBLIC BOARD—3½ P. M.

100 N.Y.Cen.R.ex-d...136⅛	100 Mich. Cen. R...b3.138
1700 Erie R..........120	300 Chic. & N.W.R...... 54⅛
200 do..........119⅞	100 do.............. 54⅛
1800 do..........119⅞	100 do.........b3. 54⅛
200 do.........b3.119⅜	300 do.............. 53⅞
1000 do.........b3.119⅞	500 Pitts., Ft. W. & C..101⅞
1100 do.........s10.119⅞	300 do..............102
200 do..........119⅞	200 do..............102⅛
200 do.........s3.119⅛	600 do..............102⅛
300 Erie Pref..........106⅛	200 do.........s3.102⅛
100 do.........b3.106⅛	200 do.........b3.102⅞
200 Harlem R..........121⅛	100 do.........s30 101
200 do..........122	200 do.........s30.101⅛
200 do.........b3 122	100 do.........s60.100
200 do.........s3 122⅛	100 do.........s30.100
400 do..........122⅛	100 Tol. & Wab. R...... 60⅛
700 do.........b10.123	100 Canton Co.......... 44⅞
200 do.........s3 122⅞	50 do.............. 44⅞
1400 do.........b3.122⅞	300 do.............. 45
200 do..........122⅞	100 Cumb. Coal Co...... 68
600 M. S. & N.I.......... 98	50 do.............. 68⅞
500 do.........s3 98	800 do.............. 68⅞
300 do.......... 98⅛	200 do.............. 68⅞
600 do.......... 98⅛	200 do.........b3 68⅞
400 do.........s3 98⅛	200 do.........b5 69
500 do.........b3 98⅛	100 Quicks. M. Co...... 62
500 Ill. Cen. R.........134⅛	200 do.............. 62⅛
500 do..........134⅛	300 do.............. 62⅛
100 do.........b3.134⅛	1700 do.............. 62⅛
100 Clev. & Pitts. R.....117⅛	500 do.............. 63
1400 do..........117⅛	400 do.............. 62⅞
100 do.........s30.117	200 do.........b3 62⅞
200 do.........b10.117⅞	400 do.............. 62⅞
100 Gal. & Chi. R.........120	100 do.............. 62⅞
650 do.........b3.120	2700 Canada Cop.Co.s60 5
500 Chic. & R. I.....s10.121⅛	4000 do.........s3 5
900 do..........121⅞	300 Mariposa M. Co.... 33
200 T. H & Alt.......... 67	$5,000 Sandy Riv. Coal &Oil Co.1st M.B.b15 91
300 do.......... 67⅛	

TUESDAY, Feb. 23—P. M.

There is a further decline to-day of one per cent. in the price of Gold, and the rate of Exchange on London. They left off at the close of 'Change hours 157½ and 172½ per cent. respectively. The very free disposition yesterday to draw Exchange for Wednesday's Cunarder first broke down the price of Gold, and the news this morning of Gen. SHERMAN'S advance on Mobile, further weakened the market. The same news was construed on the Stock Exchange as favorable to the early success of our Spring campaigns against the rebellion. The reduced price and easy supply of Money are again quite marked, and although the Brokers, for the present active speculation in the Railway and Miscellaneous Shares on the Stock Exchange, absorb large sums from lenders, both at Bank and on the Street, the balances carried over from day to day, or lodged with the Treasury Office on 5 ₩ cent. interest, are very considerable. The deposits with the Treasury to-day are $1,224,000.

There was a somewhat nervous feeling among the Stock speculators and their Brokers this forenoon, notwithstanding the improved facilities afforded by the Money market, and the number of sellers at the early Board decidedly preponderated over the buyers. After the Board broke up prices fell off, and some sales of Erie and other leading Roads were made on the Street at a concession of 2@2½ per cent. from the quotations of last night. But this feeling was not so apparent at the Second Board, and by 3 o'clock the equanimity of the speculators for the rise appeared to have been fairly recovered. The upward movement for a day or two past in the Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway—a non-dividend paying stock—had an unfavorable influence on the general market, by creating a certain measure of distrust in the discretion of the leaders in the rise. The stock was bid up to 105 ₩ cent. before the Board, and soon after sold at 99 at the Board, the difference in time being scarcely a single hour. The Government Stocks continued steady in price, and there was a good demand for the Popular Loan at 107@107½ ₩ cent.

At 4 o'clock the following prices were made as compared with the last figures of Monday afternoon. The Railway list was nearly all firm again, and the crowd and excitement on the Street were pretty near as great as ever:

	Mon.	Tues.		Mon.	Tues.
Gold Coin.......	158⅛	157⅞	Mich. Central...	141⅞	138⅛
U. S. 6s, 1861...	111	111	Mich. Southern..	98	98⅛
N. Y. Central...	137⅛	136⅞	Mich. Guarant'd.	141	142
Erie..............	121⅛	119⅞	Illinois Cen.....	135⅛	134⅛
Erie Preferred..	107⅛	106⅛	Pittsburgh......	118⅞	117⅛
Hudson..........	157	157⅛	Fort Wayne......	99	121⅛
Pacific Mail......	216	220	Rock Island......	121⅛	102⅛
Harlem..........	120	122⅞	Galena..........	121⅛	119⅞
Canton...........	44	45	Reading.........	132	131⅞
Treas. Cer., new	99⅛	99⅛	Quicksilver......	62	62⅞
Toledo............	147	147	Cum'land Coal..	67	69
Northwest.......	55	53⅞	Mariposa........	33⅛	33

The following bids were made to-day for the City Bank Shares:

New-York..........	115	Chatham..........	100
Merchants'..........	105⅛	Bank of the Republic	102⅛
America...........	130	Bank of N. America	107
City..................	145	Hanover..........	100⅜
North River........	105	Irving..............	102
Tradesmen's.......	110	Metropolitan......	113
Butchers' & Drovers'	125	Citizens'...........	106
Mch'ts Exchange....	97	People's...........	102
Seventh Ward.......	135	Shoe and Leather...	108
State of New-York..	104	Continental........	100⅛
Commerce...........	108	St. Nicholas.......	101
Mech's Bank'g Ass...	99	Commonwealth......	100
Broadway..........	170	New-York County...	134
Ocean..............	95	Park...............	130
American Exchange	109⅛	Man. & Mercht's....	100

The Fourth National Bank has called up the remainder of the capital of $5,000,000 for the 17th March.

The following bids were made for the Railway Mortgages:

N. Y. Cen. 6s.........	107	Al. & T. H. 2ds pref....	89
N.Y. Cen. 6s, Real Est.	105	Al. & T. H. seconds, In.	86
N. Y. Cen. 6s.Subs.....	104	Chi. & N. W. S. F.......	102
N. Y. Cen. 7s '64.......	101	Chi. & N. W. Int. B....	96⅛
N. Y. Cen.7s,'76.......	114	Chi. & N. W. firsts.....	91⅛
Erie thirds, '83........	118⅛	Chi. & N. W. seconds..	80
Erie fourths, '80.......	120	Han. & St. Jo. lsts.....	88
Erie fifths, '88........	120	Tol. & Wab. lsts.......	100
B.N.Y.& E. 1sts, ex.'77.	107⅛	Tol. & Wab. seconds....	89
Hud. R. firsts, '69.....	105	M. & P. du Ch. 1sts.....	104
Hud. R. thirds, '75.....	142	Gal. & Chi. Ext.........	110
Harlem 1sts, '69 & '73..	109	Chi. & Tol. S. F........	110⅛
Har. seconds, '64.......	99	Pitts.,Ft.W.& C. 1sts...	105
Har. thirds, '68........	100	Pitts. Ft. W. & C. 2ds..	101⅛
Mich. C. '69 & '72......	122	Pitts., Ft. W. & C. 3ds..	90
Mich. new, 1st, '83.....	128	Clev. & Pitts 3ds.......	103⅞
Chi. B. &. Quin. firsts..	119	Clev. & Pitts 4ths......	85
Mich. S. seconds........	105	Miss. & Mo. L. G........	71
N. Ind. Goshen L........	103	Chi. & Alt. firsts.......	102⅛
Mich. S. & N. I. S. F....	110	Chi. & Alt. S. F........	101⅛
Pacific R. guaranteed...	65	Chi. & Alt. Income......	92
Ill. Central, '75........	122	Atl. & G. W..............	94
Alton & T. Haute firsts.	104		

The following correspondence has taken place between Messrs. LIVERMORE, CLEWS & Co., Brokers of this City, and the Treasury Department, in reference to the mode of converting the 7-30 per cent. Treasury Notes into the Funded Stock of 1881:

NEW-YORK, Friday, Feb. 19, 1864.

DEAR SIR: Will you oblige us by answering the following questions to enable us to satisfy inquiries:

First—If the 7-30 notes shall be converted before maturity, will the accrued interest to that date be paid by the Government in gold or in currency?

Second—How soon after maturity of the 7 3-10 notes will the privilege of their conversion cease?

Third—When seven-thirties are converted into a twenty-year bond, will said bond bear date from the time of conversion?

If not, when will it be dated, and must the back interest to date of conversion be paid in gold?

Respectfully yours,
LIVERMORE, CLEWS & CO.

Mr. M. B. FIELD, Assist. Sec. Treasury.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Feb. 22, 1864.

GENTLEMEN: Your letter of the 19th instant, making inquiries in relation to the conversion of seven-thirty notes into six per cent. bonds, is received.

When, at date of conversion, the accrued interest on the seven-thirty notes exceeds the accrued interest on the bonds, the bonds are issued with full coupons, and the balance of interest is paid in coin.

When at date of conversion the accrued interest on the six per cent. bonds exceeds that on the seven-thirty notes, the interest due on the notes is paid in coin, and the bonds are issued with the first coupon stamped with the date of conversion. If, however, parties desire the bonds to be issued with full coupons, they can deposit the necessary amount in coin with the Assistant-Treasurer, and forward his original certificate of deposit, with the notes sent for conversion.

The seven-thirty notes are exchangeable before or at maturity for six per cent. bonds, which are payable after June 30, 1881.

Very respectfully, M. B. FIELD,
Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

Messrs. LIVERMORE, CLEWS & Co., New-York.

The day's business of the Assistant Treasurer's Office, New-York, was as follows: Receipts, $4,088,568 65—Customs, $245,000; Payments, $2,215,612 31; Balance, $40,177,451 26.

The week's exports of domestic produce and miscellaneous goods (exclusive of specie) from this port, have been to the value of $2,963,866, against $4,181,730 same week last year, and $2,436,112 the corresponding week of 1863.

The last weekly statement of the Philadelphia Banks presents the following aggregates, as compared with those of the preceding week:

	Feb. 15.	Feb 22.	
Capital Stock..........	$12,837,050	$12,837,050	——
Loans..................	34,590,880	35,059,676	Inc. $468,816
Specie..................	4,102,748	4,102,558	Dec. 198
Due from other Banks.	2,080,750	2,099,779	Inc... 19,049
Due to other Banks....	4,322,609	4,463,751	Inc... 141,142
Deposits................	29,911,704	30,783,741	Inc.. 872,037
Circulation.............	2,069,061	2,119,488	Inc... 50,427
U. States legal-tender and demand Notes...	9,446,705	9,949,174	Inc. 502,439

Sales of Real Estate—FEB. 23.

BY E. H. LUDLOW & CO.

House and lot No. 55 Beach-street, 25x100...........	$9,925
House and lot No. 348 Water-street, 15x60...........	4,000
House and lot No. 350 Water-street, 15x59...........	4,550
House and lot No. 282 West Twenty-second-street, 25x93...........	10,350
House and lot No. 142 West Nineteenth-street, 20x100.5...........	8,500

MACHINERY.

ENGINES FOR SALE.—TWO MODERN BUILT engines, one 24x54 inches; one 12x36 inches; machinery and engines and boilers of all sizes bought and sold. JOHN STUART, No. 195 Broadway, between Dey and Fulton sts.

TODD & RAFFERTY, MACHINERY MERCHANTS, No. 13 Dey-st., works at Paterson, N. J., manufacture stationary and portable steam engines and boilers, flax, hemp, tow, oakum, rope machinery, &c.

REYNOLDS TURBINE WATER WHEELS.—The most perfect, water-saving, powerful and durable wheels in use. TALLCOT & UNDERHILL, 170 B'way.

PRINTING.

CHEAPEST PRINTER IN THE WORLD. BUSINESS CARDS, INCLUDING CARDS, $1 per 1,000. Billheads, $3 per 1,000. Circulars in large quantities, 50 cents per 1,000, and labels 40 cents. ALL KINDS OF BOOK, JOB AND NEWSPAPER PRINTING equally cheap. T. R. DAWLEY'S new establishment, No. 13 Park-row, opposite the Astor House.

COMMISSIONER FOR NEW-JERSEY and other States—No. 5 Beekman-st., Room No. 5, first floor, over Park Bank.

THE BEST ICE CREAM IN NEW-YORK can be had at 50 cents per quart at depot No. 399 6th-av.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

AS COOK.—A SITUATION WANTED, BY A REspectable person, as cook in a private family; one who understands her business; is willing to assist with the washing; best of City reference given. Call for two days at No. 89 East 11th-st., between 1st and 2d avs., second floor, front room.

AS COOK.—A STEADY WOMAN WANTS A situation as cook; one who thoroughly understands her business in all its branches; is a good bread and biscuit baker; can give good City reference. Call at No. 132 West 15th-st., between 6th and 7th avs., for two days. To save trouble, boarding-house keepers need not apply.

AS COOK.—A COMPETENT PROTESTANT WOman wants a situation as professed cook of soups, meats, poultry, game in all styles, pastry, creams and desserts of various kinds; can get up suppers in all styles; best of reference. Call at No. 65 West 27th-st., between 6th and 7th avs., rear house, at basement door.

AS COOK.—WANTED, BY A RESPECTABLE young woman, a situation in a private family as cook; would be willing to assist in washing and ironing if required. The best of city references can be given. Call at No. 110 West 18th-st. for two days.

AS COOK.—A SITUATION WANTED BY A competent woman as first-class cook; understands French, English and American cooking; can give the best of City references. Apply at No. 61 West 12th-st., between 5th and 6th avs.

AS COOK.—WANTED, A SITUATION BY A REspectable woman, as first-class cook, in a private family, who understands her business in all its branches; can give the best of City references. Can be seen for two days at No. 201 East 13th-st., near 1st-av.

AS COOK.—A YOUNG WOMAN WISHES A SITUation as first-class cook in a respectable private family; can come well recommended from her last place. Call at 409 7th-av., between 35th and 36th sts., first floor.

AS COOK.—WANTED, BY A RESPECTABLE Protestant woman, a situation as first-class cook in a private family; can give good reference from last place. Can be seen until engaged at No. 658 Broadway, corner of Bond-st., Room No. 21.

AS COOK.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN WISHes a situation as first-class cook; understands it in all its branches. Call at No. 359 6th-av., in the fancy store, from 10 till 2 o'clock.

AS COOK, WASHER AND IRONER.—Wanted, by a respectable young woman, a situation as cook, washer and ironer, in a private family; four years City references. Call for two days at No. 392 7th-av., between 34th and 35th sts.

AS COOK.—WANTED, BY A RESPECTABLE girl, a situation as good plain cook; is an excellent washer and ironer; is willing and obliging; good reference from her last place. Call at No. 239 East 9th-st., top floor.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND SEAMSTRESS.—A situation wanted, by a respectable girl, to do chamberwork and plain sewing; can be well recommended by her former employers, where she can be seen, for two days, at No. 151 West 44th-st.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—Wanted, a situation by a respectable young woman as chambermaid and waitress in a private family. Can be seen for two days at No. 213 West 26th-st., top floor, between 8th and 9th avs.

AS SEAMSTRESS, &c.—A RESPECTABLE girl wants a situation as seamstress and chambermaid, or to take care of a baby and sew; has excellent City references. Can be seen for 2 days at No. 115 West 15th-st., near 6th-av.

AS WAITRESS—A YOUNG WOMAN, WITH three years' City reference, wants a situation; is a first-class waitress, and neat about her work and person. Call at No. 16 11th-st., near 4th-av.

AS NURSE.—A LADY WISHES TO GET A SITuation as nurse for a light-colored West Indian woman, who has lived in her family at intervals for many years. Both the young woman and her employer may be seen at No. 21 East 25th-st.

AS NURSE.—WANTED, BY AN EXPERIENCED English person, a situation as nurse; has always lived in that capacity; or to attend on a lady and sew. Can be well recommended. Address G. S., or apply at No. 177 7th-av., in the store.

AS NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—WANTED a situation by a respectable English woman as nurse and seamstress; can take the entire charge of an infant; has no objection to the country; the best of City reference. Call at No. 111 West 15th-st., for two days.

AS WET NURSE.—A YOUNG, HEALTHY woman, four days after her confinement, wishes a baby to wet nurse at her residence, No. 302 West 31st-st., room No 17, top floor. Inquire for Mrs. LUCE.

AS NURSE.—A PROTESTANT WOMAN WANTS a situation as invalid nurse or infant nurse; is capable of taking a baby from birth; is a good seamstress and can give the best of references. Can be seen for two days at No. 145 7th-av., 1 door from 20th-st.

AS LAUNDRESS.—WANTED, A SITUATION by a young woman who is a first-class laundress, and well recommended; no objection to the country. Apply at No. 7 11th-st., between Broadway and University-place, from 10 to 4 o'clock.

WASHING.—A RESPECTABLE WOMAN wishes the washing of a few single gentlemen, or a family washing, to take to her residence; can give City reference if required. Call at No. 670 Greenwich-st., any time, in the front basement.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND SEAMSTRESS.—Wanted, a situation by a respectable young woman as chambermaid and seamstress; has good reference from her last place. Call at No. 113 West 15th-st., near 6th-av., for two days.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND WAITRESS.—Wanted, by a respectable young girl, a situation as chambermaid and waitress, or waitress alone. Has the best of recommendations, and can be seen at her last employer's, No. 24 West 31st-st.

AS CHAMBERMAID AND SEAMSTRESS.—A young woman desires a situation as chambermaid and seamstress; has good City references. Can be seen at No. 111 West 15th-st., between 6 and 7th avs.

AS WASHER AND IRONER.—A RESPECTable Protestant woman wishes to take in washing and ironing; can give the best of reference. Call or address No. 293 West 36th-st., between 9th and 10th avs., Room No. 14.

WANTED—THE ADVERTISER, A WIDOW OF a Confederate officer, wishes to obtain the care of a house, or to act as housekeeper. She is fully competent to teach all the English branches and French; has a practical knowledge of music, &c. Documents will be shown authenticating the advertiser's position as above stated. Can be seen at this office. Address M. E. B., Box No. 170 *Times* Office.

MALES.

A CARPET SALESMAN—WITH AN EXTENsive acquaintance and a perfect knowledge of the carpet business in all its details—desires a situation in a first-class house, where energy and strict integrity of character would be appreciated. A good salary required. None but A No. 1 houses need answer. Address ENERGY, care of George Thurber, Esq., Box No. 1,124 New-York Post-office.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A YOUNG MAN, in a wholesale or retail house; can keep a set of books; is not afraid of hard work; security and reference given. Address A. R., Box No. 158 *Times* Office.

AS GARDENER.—A YOUNG MARRIED MAN (German) wishes a situation as gardener; he understands gardening in all its branches; vegetables, flowers and fruit; has no objection to taking care of a small stock; has eight years' reference from his last place. HENRY SONDERMAN, New-Utrecht, Bath, L. I.

AS GARDENER.—A SITUATION WANTED by a man that thoroughly understands the business in its departments; green and hot-house plants, vineries, laying out of grounds, and scientific gardening in general; can produce recommendations from first-class gentlemen whom he has served five years each. Address B. H., Box No. 203 *Times* Office.

AS GARDENER.—A GERMAN GARDENER, A married man, understanding his business well, having been in this country over thirteen year, wishes a situation. Address HERMAN LINK, at Mr. Wendel's, No. 9 Gold-st.

AS GARDENER.—SITUATION WANTED BY a first-class practical man; has 8 years' satisfactory reference from two of the first places in the country; is married, without family. Address FLORIST, Box No. 204 *Times* Office.

AS GARDENER.—WANTED, A SITUATION as plain gardener, by a steady, respectable man of industrious habits; understands the cultivation of fruit and vegetables perfectly, and would make himself generally useful; best of City references given. Address R. P., at Smith's seed-store, No. 65 Liberty-st.

AS HEAD GARDENER AND FARMER. Engagement wanted, by a thorough, practical man, as head gardener and farmer, on a first-class place. For particulars apply to Editor *Scottish American*, No. 37 Park-row.

AS GARDENER.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS gardener, by a single man thoroughly conversant with all branches of his profession. Address D. C., Fleming & Davison's seed-store, No. 67 Nassau-st.

AS GARDENER.—A SINGLE, RELIABLE MAN wants a situation as gardener, who understands the cultivation of grapes, fruits, flowers and vegetables, landscaping and planting. Good City reference. Address W. H., Mr. Symith's, No. 65 Liberty-st.

AS GARDENER.—A SITUATION WANTED AS gardener, by a German married man; has a thorough knowledge about gardening in all its branches; can furnish the best of recommendation. Address GARDENER, care of Dr. A. Huhne, Roundout, Ulster Co., N. Y.

AS FARMER, &c.—SITUATIONS WANTED, by a German man and wife, as farmer, gardener, drive, take care of horses, milk, &c.; good reference. Call at No. 149 Grand-st.

AS LIGHT PORTER.—A YOUNG MAN wants a situation as light porter in a wholesale dry goods house; can read and write; good reference. Address R. A., Box No. 159 *Times* Office.

AS FARMER AND GARDENER.—WANTED a situation by a Scotch farmer and gardener. He is married, and has a small family; his wife can take charge of a dairy. Can be seen at Smith's seed store, No. 65 Liberty-st., between 10 and 3 o'clock. Address A. T.

AS COACHMAN—SITUATION WANTED AS coachman by a single Protestant man, 26 years of age; is a careful and judicious city and country driver, and understands the care and treatment of carriages and horses thoroughly, as his testimonials will certify. Call from 10 to 5 this day at Trainor's Saddle and Harness Store, corner Broadway and Astor-place.

AS COACHMAN AND GROOM.—WANTED, by a Protestant single young man, a situation as coachman and groom; perfectly understands the care and management of horses; has good City reference. Can be seen at the Protestant Employment Agency, No. 125 4th-av., between 12th and 13th sts.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

MALES.

AS COACHMAN AND PLAIN GARDENER.—A situation wanted, by a young man; is capable of taking care of horses and carriages. Address, for 3 days, D., Box No. 193 *Times* Office.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, A SITUATION as coachman, by a respectable young German; thoroughly understands his business; careful driver; can take care of a small garden, if required; best of City reference given. Call on or address M. B., No. 99 Grand-st., for two days.

AS COACHMAN AND GROOM.—WANTED, by a competent and reliable man, with first-class City references, a situation as coachman and groom; or would take care of a gentleman's road horses. Call on or address J. R., No. 23 West 22d-st., in the private stable. Can be seen for two days if not engaged.

AS COACHMAN—WANTED, A SITUATION AS coachman and groom by a man who understands the care of horses; is a careful driver; also, a plain gardener, if required; has five years' reference from last place. Address O. B., Box No. 214 *Times* Office.

AS COACHMAN.—WANTED, A SITUATION AS coachman by a respectable single man of long experience; is a good groom and stylish driver; understands the business thoroughly; has good City reference. Address J. N., Box No. 207 *Times* Office.

HELP WANTED.

SEAMEN AND ORDINARY SEAMEN.—Wanted, seamen and ordinary seamen for the United States steam-frigate NIAGARA, Commodore THOS. T. CRAVEN. Ship for one, two or three years. Seamen receive $19 50 per month; ordinary seamen receive $15 50. Three months' pay in advance. Apply on board, at the Navy-yard, Brooklyn, or at the Naval Rendezvous, New-York.

WANTED—A LIVE MAN, WHO HAS A GOOD first-class trade in the coal business. To a man of this stamp an advantageous arrangement will be made by the advertiser, who has been established for over ten years, and has a large trade, and wishes to increase it. Address Box No. 821 P. O.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—FOR THE PACIFIC SQUADRON—12 seamen, 6 ordinary seamen, 50 landsmen, 12 firemen, 12 coal-heavers. Apply to United States Naval Rendezvous, No. 346 Water-st., New-York. E. R. THOMSON, Commander.

SALESMAN WANTED—IN A GENTLEMAN'S Furnishing Store; one accustomed to the business, who is industrious, honest, and of pleasing manners, member of the Evangelical Church preferred. Apply immediately in person to S. S. SHARPLEY, No. 379 Fulton-st., Brooklyn.

A WAITER.—WANTED, A FIRST-CLASS waiter who can give good City references. Apply at the southwest corner of 34th-st. and 5th-av., before 9 A. M. or after 4 P. M.

A WAITRESS.—WANTED, A RESPECTABLE woman as waitress; one who fully understands her business and has good references may apply at No. 177 Madison-av., between 10 and 2 o'clock.

PORTER WANTED—CAPABLE OF RECEIVing, marking and delivering bales. A German preferred. Address, with reference, to Box No. 2,238 Post-office, New-York City.

CASHIER—WANTED A YOUNG MAN OR WOman to take charge of cash, &c., in an up-town retail store. Address, with references, B. J. A., Madison-square Post-office.

WANTED—A WOMAN WHO IS NEAT, HONEST, not afraid to work, and is a good washer, to sweep and dust daily, and clean weekly, the rooms of a private school; also to wash for private family. Apply THURSDAY, Feb. 25, at No. 218 4th-st., New-York.

A GARDENER.—WANTED, A SINGLE MAN. One who understands the business and willing to work and well recommended, may inquire at the office of CRAGIN & CO., No. 400 West 12th-st.

COACH PAINTER WANTED—TO GO TEN miles in the country; to one that is competent, location good, can have steady work by applying at Mr. MYER'S store, No. 129 Nassau-st., from 10 to 4.

COMPOSITORS.—TWENTY FIRST-CLASS book hands and two good jobbers wanted immediately, by JOHN A. GRAY & GREEN, 16 and 18 Jacob-st.

BOY WANTED—TO LEARN THE SIGN PAINTing business. RANDALL & HOVER, No. 58 William-st.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, A YOUNG MAN AS general clerk and assistant salesman; one having some knowledge of the cloak business and a country acquaintance preferred. Apply to C. L. WOODBRIDGE, No. 337 Broadway.

FOUR OPERATORS, COMPETENT TO do family work and capable of giving instruction on Wheeler & Wilson's sewing-machine, wanted at No. 939 Broadway, corner 22d-st. J. T. ELLIS.

WANTED—A BOY OF RESPECTABLE PArentage, to attend in an office of a wholesale segar establishment, No. 145 Water-st.

NOTICE.—HOUSE CARPENTERS WANTED AT No. 45 Suffolk-st.; none but good hands need apply. Call between 10 and 1 o'clock. Best of wages paid.

A GARDENER.—WANTED, A MAN WHO UNderstands vegetable gardening, milking and general farm work. Apply to JOHN COX, No. 362 Bowery.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE.

A STEAM ENGINE AND BOILER. The engine is on a solid iron frame; cylinder 11x30 inches; the boiler has 36 3-inches flues 12 ft. long; fire box 5x4 ft.; clown sheets "Low Moor." The above is complete and will be sold cheap. Apply to A. C. CHEWETT & CO., Kingston, Canada.

TO MANUFACTURERS.—AGENCY WANTED in San Francisco, for any article of merchandise, by a young man of experience about establishing himself there. All business intrusted to his care will meet with strict attention; the best of City reference. Address J. R. T., Box No. 797 Post-office.

WANTED—TO GET A PARTNER TO ENGAGE in the coffee and spice business, already established in the City; the best of references required. Call, for three days, from 9 to 4 o'clock, at No. 193 Greenwich-st., New-York.

FOR SALE—A LARGE BUTTER AND CHEESE stand, in one of the City markets of New-York. For particulars apply, after 6 P. M., at No. 25 Myrtle-av., Brooklyn.

LOST AND FOUND.

OFFICE OF DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO., BANKERS, }
NEW-YORK, Feb. 3, 1864. }

NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUtioned against negotiating United States 5 per cent. Coupon Bond of 1874, No. 11,742, with coupons of and from Jan. 1, 1864, dated Feb. 1, 1859, and issued to B. Berend & Co., or bearer; the same having been lost or mislaid in transmission to the Union Bank of London, per steamer *Hansa*, from New-York Nov. 21, 1863, payment thereof having been stopped at the United States Treasury.
DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO.

$20 REWARD—LOST, ON THE EVENING of 22d inst., in front of City Hall, a PATENT LEVER WATCH; silver cases, railway time-keeper. Any person returning the same to No. 24 6th-st., will receive the above reward, and no questions asked.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

FAST HORSES FOR SALE—A VERY SUperior team of young mares; are perfect in every respect; very handsome, gentle, and can trot very fast, one of them close to 2:40; will be warranted as represented. Address R. W. Y., Box No. 3,162 Post-office.

PROPOSALS.

TO RAILROAD CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Pacific Railroad, (of Missouri,) in St. Louis, till March 25, 1864, for doing the graduation and masonry of about thirty-five (35) miles of the road, being from Holden, in Johnson County, to a section in Jackson County between the Little Blue and Independence. Profiles, list of sections to be let, giving time as to when they must be completed, forms of bids, specifications, &c., can be seen at the office of the Chief Engineer in St. Louis.

Bids should be made for each section of about one (1) mile, and no distance greater than ten (10) miles will be let to any party or firm.

Payments will be made monthly in cash, fifteen (15) per cent. being retained till the completion of the work.

Bids should be addressed to GEORGE R. TAYLOR, President, and where the bidder is not personally known to the President or Engineer, he must accompany bid by substantial references, and should give also his post-office address, and he will be informed of the acceptance or rejection of his offer.

The company reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
T. McKISSOCK, Ch'f Eng'r and Sup't.

PROPOSALS FOR $500,000 VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS' FAMILY AID FUND—BONDS No. EIGHT.—Sealed proposals will be received at the Comptroller's office until TUESDAY, March 1, 1864, at 2 o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly opened, for the purchase at not less than their par value, of the whole, or any part of the sum of five hundred thousand dollars of the "Volunteer Soldiers' Family Aid Fund, Bonds No. 8," authorized by an ordinance of the Corporation, passed Feb. 9, 1864, and an act of the Legislature of the State of New-York, passed March 6, 1863.

The said bonds will bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November each year, and the principal will be redeemed Nov. 1, 1872.

The proposals will state the amount of bonds desired, and the price per one hundred dollars thereof, and the persons whose proposals are accepted, will be required to deposit with the Chamberlain of the City, within five days after the opening of the bids, the sums awarded to them respectively.

On presenting to the Comptroller the receipts of the Chamberlain for such deposits, the parties will be entitled to receive bonds for equal amounts of the par value thereof, bearing interest from the dates of payments. Each proposition should be sealed and indorsed "Proposals for Volunteer Soldiers' Family Aid Fund, Bonds No. 8," and inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller.

The right is reserved to reject any or all of the bids, if the interests of the Corporation require it.
MATTHEW T. BRENNAN, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW-YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Feb. 10, 1864. }

ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, }
No. 458 BROOME-STREET, NEW-YORK CITY, }
Feb. 22, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RE-CEIVED at this Office until THURSDAY, 25th inst., at 12 o'clock M., for furnishing materials for and constructing a Store-house for the Quartermaster's Department, at McDougall Barracks, Fort Schuyler, New-York. Plans and specifications can be examined, and information respecting the same obtained at this Office. Proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Store-house," and addressed to the undersigned.
R. C. MORGAN, Capt. and Asst. Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR ROOFING FELT AND PITCH.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, }
DEPOT OF WASHINGTON, }
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11, 1864. }

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until TUESDAY, March 1, 1864, at 12 o'clock M., for delivering in the City of Washington, D. C., the following amounts of Roofing Felt and Pitch, viz.:

One hundred and eight (108) tons of Roofing Felt.

Eight hundred (800) barrels of Pitch, or Roofing Cement.

The particular kind or description of the above articles must be stated in the proposal, and bidders will be required to furnish samples of the articles they propose to deliver.

One-fourth (¼) of the quantity of each article will be required to be delivered in thirty (30) days from the date of the contract, one-fourth (¼) in sixty (60) days therefrom, and the balance in ninety (90) days therefrom.

Each barrel of Pitch or Roofing Cement must contain not less than three hundred (300) pounds, and delivered in good sound barrels, said barrels to be furnished free of cost to the Government.

The articles offered by the successful bidders will be subjected to a rigid inspection before being accepted by an inspector, appointed by the Government.

PROPOSALS.

The price must be written out in words on the bid, as must also the full name and Post-office address of the bidder.

Proposals from disloyal parties will not be considered, and an oath of allegiance must accompany each proposition.

Proposals must be addressed to Brig.-Gen. D. H. RUCKER, Chief Quartermaster, Depot of Washington, Washington, D. C., and should be plainly marked, "Proposals for Roofing, Felt and Pitch."

GUARANTEE.

The bidder will be required to accompany his proposition with a guarantee, signed by two responsible persons, that in case his bid is accepted, he will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the articles proposed in conformity with the terms of this advertisement; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of the Clerk of the nearest District Court, or of the United States District Attorney.

Bonds in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractors and both of his guarantors will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contract.

FORM OF GUARANTEE.

We, the undersigned, residents of ——, in the county of ——, and State of ——, hereby, jointly and severally, covenant with the United States, and guarantee in case the foregoing bid of —— be accepted, that he or they will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to furnish the articles proposed in conformity to the terms of the advertisement, dated Feb. 11, 1864, under which the bid was made, and in case the said —— shall fail to enter into a contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer of the said —— and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

{ Given under our hands and seals
{ this —— day of ——, 186 .

Witness: [Seal.]
[Seal.]

To this guarantee must be appended the official certificate above-mentioned.

The right to reject any or all bids that may be deemed too high is reserved by the Depot Quartermaster, as well as the right to select from each bid such articles at the price therein named, as is required by the Government.

D. H. RUCKER,
Brigadier-General and Chief Quartermaster,
Depot Washington.

PROPOSALS FOR LIME.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, }
DEPOT OF WASHINGTON, }
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13, 1864. }

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until FRIDAY, March 4, 1864, at 12 o'clock, for Ten Thousand (10,000) Bushels of good merchantable Unslacked Lime. The whole amount to be delivered within thirty (30) days from the date of contract at such points in the City of Washington as the Depot Quartermaster may direct. The Lime to weigh not less than eighty (80) pounds to the bushel.

The amount offered by the successful bidders will be subject to a rigid inspection by an inspector appointed by the Government before being accepted.

PROPOSALS.

The price must be written out in words on the bid, as must also the full name and post-office address of the bidder.

Proposals from disloyal parties will not be considered, and an oath of allegiance must accompany each proposition.

Proposals must be addressed to Brig.-Gen. D. H. RUCKER, Chief Quartermaster, Depot of Washington, Washington, D. C., and should be plainly marked "Proposals for Lime."

GUARANTEE.

The bidder will be required to accompany his proposition with a guarantee, signed by two responsible persons, that, in case his bid is accepted, he will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the articles proposed in conformity with the terms of this advertisement; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of the Clerk of the nearest District Court, or of the United States District Attorney.

Bonds in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and both of his guarantors will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contract.

FORM OF GUARANTEE.

We, the undersigned, residents of ——, in the county of ——, and State of ——, hereby jointly and severally covenant with the United States, and guarantee in case the foregoing bid of —— be accepted, that he or they will at once execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to furnish the articles proposed in conformity to the terms of the advertisement, dated Feb. 13, 1864, under which the bid was made, and in case the said —— shall fail to enter into a contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer of the said —— and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

{ Given under our hands and seals
{ this —— day of ——, 186—.

Witness: [Seal.]
[Seal.]

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D. H. RUCKER,
Brigadier-General and Chief Quartermaster,
Depot Washington.

PROPOSALS FOR RAISING WRECKS AT NORFOLK, VA., AND IN THE VICINITY.

NAVY DEPARTMENT, Feb. 4, 1864.

PROPOSALS will be received at the Navy Department until the 3d day of March, 1864, for raising or wrecking and removing the materials, and delivering at the United States Navy-yard, Gosport, Va., the wrecks of the following ships, viz.:

Frigates *Cumberland* and *Congress*, at Newport News, and *Merrimac*, near Craney Island.

The small steamer *Whitehall*, at Old Point.

Frigates *Raritan* and *Columbia*, and Line-of-battle ships *Pennsylvania*, *Delaware* and *Columbus*, in the vicinity of the Navy-yard.

Bidders for this contract will take into consideration that the Government requires the frigate *Cumberland*, and whatever may be on board of her, either public or private property, to be delivered at the Navy-yard, Gosport, Virginia, or at any other convenient place which the Government may designate, without any further mutilation than may be absolutely necessary to raise her.

It will be required by the Government that the contractors commence as soon as practicable on the *Cumberland* and not to engage or commence on any other wreck, without permission from the Government, until she is disposed of.

The Government will also claim the right of designating the order in which, after the *Cumberland*, the wrecks are to be raised; also to determine whether a wreck shall be blasted or raised whole.

No sale or appraisement can be claimed by the contractors on any wreck until all the vessels named shall have been removed, and duly received by the commandant, unless by authority of the Navy Department.

No wreck will be considered removed while any portion of keel or floor timbers remains.

All the wrecks, as well as fragments of timber and other material (which may be the result of blasting,) must be deposited at the Navy-yard at such place or places as the Commandant may designate. And such property, after having been received by the Commandant, shall be considered in charge of the United States Government until disposed of agreeably to the specifications of the contract to be made.

All the appliances used in raising the wrecks must be furnished at the expense of the contractors.

The offer must state the rate per centum, or salvage, for raising and delivering each vessel, also for wrecking, the value to be ascertained and determined by two persons to be appointed by the department, and one person to be appointed by the contractors, or on the actual proceeds of a sale at public auction, for the whole or any part, as the department may elect. The offer must be accompanied by the guarantee of responsible parties that the contract will be executed if awarded. The department reserves the right to reject all bids of parties who have not the proper means provided for executing the work, and of annulling the contract if the work is not executed in due proportion to the time fixed for completion. The proposition must also state the time required to do the work.

Proposals will be marked, "Proposals for raising wrecks at Norfolk," &c., so as to prevent them from being opened with other letters.

ARMY CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE OFFICE, }
CINCINNATI, OHIO, Feb. 15, 1864. }

PROPOSALS ARE INVITED BY THE undersigned, until MONDAY, Feb. 29, 1864, at 12 o'clock, M., for furnishing this department with:

Blouses, Lined and Unlined—Army Standard.
Blouse Flannel—Army Standard.
Bootees, Sewed and Pegged—Army Standard.
Jackets, Cavalry—Army Standard.
Stockings—Army Standard.
Drum Heads, Batter.
Drum Heads, Snare.

To be delivered free of charge at the United States Inspection Warehouse, in this city, in good new packages, with the name of the party furnishing, the kind and quantity of goods distinctly marked thereon.

Parties offering goods must in all cases furnish samples, marked and numbered to correspond with their proposal, and distinctly state in their bids the quantity of goods they propose to furnish, the price and the time of delivery.

Bids will be open on MONDAY, Feb. 29, 1864, at 1 o'clock P. M., at this office, and bidders are invited to be present.

Awards will be made on TUESDAY, March 1, 1864, when bidders, or duly authorized agents, are expected to be prepared to give security that the goods will be furnished if an award is made.

The right to reject any bid deemed unreasonable is reserved.

By order of Col. THOMAS SWORDS, A. Q. M. G.
C. W. MOULTON, Capt. and A. Q. M.

FORAGE DEPARTMENT, No. 66 CEDAR-ST., }
NEW-YORK CITY. }

WANTED—HAY, STRAW, CORN AND OATS, for which cash will be paid on delivery.
S. L. BROWN, Capt. and A. Q. M., U. S. A.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

MEDICAL PURVEYOR'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 1, 1864.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 12 M., February the 25th, for furnishing Ice to the Medical Department of the Army during the present year, at the points herein designated. The Ice to be stored by the contractor in properly constructed ice-houses at each point of delivery, on or before the 15th day of April next; the ice not to be receipted for until its quality, the fitness of the ice-house, and the maneer in which it is packed shall have been approved by a medical officer appointed for the purpose, or by a Medical Inspector, and payment will be made only for the amount thus actually stored and receipted for.

The proposals will be for the quantities indicated below as required at the respective places, with the proviso that should more be needed at any time for the year's supply, it shall be furnished at the same rates and under the same conditions.

QUANTITY TO BE DELIVERED AT

Annapolis, Md.—Ice-house owned by the United States—150 tons.
Fortress Monroe, Va.—Ice-house owned by the United States—280 tons.
Point Lookout, Md.—Ice-house owned by the United States—200 tons.
Portsmouth, Va.—Ice-house not owned by the United States—100 tons.
Newbern, N. C.—Ice-house not owned by the United States—400 tons.
Hilton Head, S. C.—Ice-house owned by the United States—450 tons.
Beaufort, S. C.—Ice-house owned by the United States—300 tons.

Proposals will also be received for furnishing ice daily, by weight for the year 1864, in such quantities as may be required by the Surgeons in charge at United States General Hospitals, upon the following annual estimate, in and near

Boston, Mass., 10 tons.
New-York, 800 tons.
New-Haven, Conn., 60 tons.
Portsmouth Grove, R. I., 130 tons.
Philadelphia, Penn., 1,300 tons.
Newark, N. J., 100 tons.
Washington, D. C., 2,500 tons.
Baltimore, Md., 500 tons.
Frederick, Md., 75 tons.

All additional amounts that may be required at these places until Jan. 1, 1865, are to be furnished at the same rates.

FORM OF PROPOSAL.

The undersigned proposes to furnish ——— tons of first quality of ice, carefully packed in suitable ice-houses, at the within-named points, namely:

at the following price per ton of two thousand pounds, namely, at

tons, at $—— per ton.

The ice to be subject to the inspection, measurement, and approval of a medical officer, or other properly appointed inspector, before being receipted for.

Payment to be made from time to time upon duplicate bills, certified to by the Medical Director.

Signed, — —

FORM OF PROPOSAL.

The undersigned proposes to furnish daily, or otherwise, all the ice required for the hospitals, upon approved requisitions of surgeons in charge, at or near the within-named points, at the following price per hundred pounds, namely:

$— cts. per hundred pounds.

The ice shall be of the best quality, and subject to the approval of the surgeon in charge, who will receipt for the actual amount delivered at each hospital.

Payment to be made from time to time upon duplicate bills, certified to by the Medical Director.

Signed, — —

The above form of proposals will be adhered to as closely as practicable. Other forms will be received by the department and duly considered.

A proper guarantee that the bidder is able to fulfill the contract, certified to by the clerk of the nearest District Court or a United States District-Attorney, must accompany the proposal or it will be rejected.

An oath of allegiance to the United States Government must also accompany the proposal.

The contracts will be awarded to the lowest responsible party or parties, who will be duly notified, by mail or otherwise, that their bid is accepted, and they will immediately be required to enter into contract, under bonds to the amount of $5,000. Bonds to be properly certified to.

Bidders may be present in person when the Proposals are opened.

The Post-office address of the parties proposing must be distinctly written upon the Proposal.

Proposals must be addressed to HENRY JOHNSON, Medical S. K. and Purveyor, U. S. A., Washington, D. C.

The department reserves the right to reject any or all bids deemed unsuitable.

HENRY JOHNSON,
M. S. K. and Purveyor, U. S. A., Washington, D. C.

Printed forms of Proposals can be had at this office.

PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON DEPOT, Dec. 8, 1863.

SEALED PROPOSALS are invited by the undersigned for supplying the United States Quartermaster's Department, at Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Md., Alexandria and Fort Monroe, Va., or either of these places, with Hay, Corn, Oats and Straw.

Bids will be received for the delivery of 5,000 bushels of corn or oats, and 50 tons of hay or straw, and upward.

Bidders must state at which of the above-named points they propose to make deliveries, and the rates at which they will make deliveries thereat, the quantity of each article proposed to be delivered, the time when said deliveries shall be commenced, and when to be completed.

The price must be written out in words on the bids.

Corn to be put up in good stout sacks, of about two bushels each. Oats in like sacks, of about three bushels each. The sacks to be furnished without extra charge to the Government. The hay and straw to be securely baled.

The particular kind or description of oats, corn, hay or straw, proposed to be delivered must be stated in the proposals.

All the articles offered under the bids herein invited, will be subject to a rigid inspection by the Government Inspector before being accepted.

Contracts will be awarded from time to time to the lowest responsible bidder, as the interest of the Government may require, and payment will be made when the whole amount contracted for shall have been delivered and accepted.

The bidder will be required to accompany his proposal with a guarantee, signed by two responsible persons, that in case his bid is accepted, he or they will, within ten days thereafter, execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the forage proposed in conformity with the terms of this advertisement; and in case the said bidder shoud fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of a United States District-Attorney, Collector of Customs, or any other officer under the United States Government, or responsible person known at this office.

All bidders will be duly notified of the acceptance or rejection of their proposals.

The full name and Post-office address of each bidder must be legibly written in the proposal.

Proposals must be addressed to Brigadier-General D. H. Rucker, Chief Depot Quartermaster, Washington, D. C., and should be plainly marked "Proposals for Forage."

Bonds, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and both of his guarantors, will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contract.

Blank forms of bids, guarantees, and bonds, may be obtained upon application at this office.

FORM OF PROPOSAL.

(Town, County, and State,) ———
(Date) ———

I, the subscriber, do hereby propose to furnish and deliver to the United States, at the Quartermaster's Department, at ———, agreeably to the terms of your advertisement, inviting proposals for forage, dated Washington, Depot, Dec. 8, 1863, the following articles, viz.:

—— bushels of Corn, in sacks, at —— per bushel of 56 pounds.
—— bushels of Oats, in sacks, at —— per bushel of 32 pounds.
—— tons of baled Hay, at —— per ton of 2,000 pounds.
—— tons of baled Straw, at —— per ton of 2,000 pounds.

Delivery to commence on or before the —— day of ——, 186 , and to be completed on or before the —— day of ——, 186 , and pledge myself to enter into a written contract with the United States, with good and approved securities, within the space of ten days after being notified that my bid has been accepted.

Your obedient servant, ——— ———

Brigadier-General D. H. RUCKER,
Chief Depot Quartermaster,
Washington, D. C.

GUARAN

We, the undersigned, residents of ———, in the County of ———, and State of ———, hereby, jointly and severally, covenant with the United States, and guarantee in case the foregoing bid of ——— be accepted, that he or they will, within ten days after the acceptance of said bid, execute the contract for the same with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to furnish the forage proposed in conformity to the terms of advertisement dated Dec. 8, 1863, under which the bid was made, and, in case the said ——— shall fail to enter into a contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer by the said ——— and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

Witness, { Given under our hands and seals this —— day of ——, 186 .
[Seal.]
[Seal.]

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above-named guarantors are good and sufficient as sureties for the amount for which they offer to be security.

To be certified by the United States District-Attorney Collector of Customs, or any other officer under the United States Government, or responsible person known to this office.

All proposals received under this advertisement will be opened and examined at this office on Wednesday and Saturday of each week, at 12 M. Bidders are respectfully invited to be present, at the opening of bids if they desire.

D. H. RUCKER,
Brigadier-General and Quartermaster.

ENGINEER'S OFFICE OF MORRIS AND ESSEX RAILROAD COMPANY, NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 15, 1864.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED proposals will be received at this office for the grading, masonry and bridging of the extension of the road of this company from Hackettstown to the Delaware River at Phillipsburgh, (a distance of 23 miles,) until SATURDAY, the 26th day of March next.

Maps, profiles, plans and specifications, with blank forms for proposals and approximate estimates of quantities, will be in readiness at this office on and after Saturday, March 12. J. B. BASSINGER, Chief Engineer.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CENTRAL PARK, No. 31 NASSAU-ST., Feb. 19, 1864.

TO MASONS AND STONE-CUTTERS.—Sealed proposals will be received at this office until the 29th inst., for furnishing materials for and constructing any portion of the inclosing wall of the Central Park, not heretofore contracted.

Plans and specifications, and information respecting the same, will be furnished at the office above mentioned.

Proposals should be addressed to the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park, and indorsed "Proposals for Wall." The said board reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

ANDREW H. GREEN,
Comptroller of the Park.

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FOR SALE—A CHOICE PRIVATE RESIDENCE. The best built and the most ornamental house, and the best location in the City; lot runs through the block, 200 feet, with fine stable, which will let for $1,500 per annum, if not wanted for the house; the house is of a style and finish that requires but little furniture; price $75,000, which is 25 per cent. less than cost; no commission allowed; possession can be had at once. Address Box No. 3,709 Post-office.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE—A LARGE brick building, three stories, 60x50, with steam-boiler, machinery, &c., formerly occupied by sash and blind maker, sawing and turning, &c., well located, at New-Rochelle Village; is a desirable place for any mechanical business; the owner having died, his widow wishes to sell it; and if desired, the cottage dwelling and grounds adjoining would be sold or rented. Apply to JOHN O. HIGGINS, No. 586 6th-av.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—AT NEW ROchelle, several houses and garden spots, with shrubbery and fruit, near the depot. One for sale, $4,500, $5,000, $6,000. One for $12,000, with 30 acres. One country seat $15,000. One with three acres for $7,600. One large house, carriage-house, with six acres, for $14,000. One for $9,000, with fine garden, near the Sound. Apply to JOHN O. HIGGINS, New Rochelle, or at his office, No. 586 6th-av., N. Y.

FOR SALE OR LEASE.—THE PROPERTY Nos. 86 and 88 Wooster-st., comprising 50 feet on Wooster-st. by 100 feet deep, with buildings thereon suitable for an extensive manufactory. Also, a desirable country residence at Mott-Haven, Westchester County, with half an acre of ground, a good dwelling-house, stable and carriage-house, and fine garden, &c. Inquire at No. 88 Wooster-st.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—NOS. 78 AND 80 6th st: two high-stoop two-story and a half brick dwelling-houses, fitted with gas and Croton water. Lots about 22 feet by half a block. Price, to purchase, $6,000 each; to rent, $600 each; terms easy. Apply to WASHINGTON MURRAY, No. 145 Broadway.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL FIRST-CLASS HOUSES in fine locations, tenement houses, lots, &c., very cheap, and easy terms; country seats, very handy to railroads; farms and Western lands, all cheap or exchanged for City property. Those wishing to buy or sell will find the right place, full lot cottage, 33d-st. J. E. HATCH, No. 375 9th-av.

$16,000.—FOR SALE—THE NEWLY-built, three-story French attic brown stone house, No. 30 West 45th-st., between 5th and 6th avs.; high stoop, marble hall, black walnut stairs and bay window, all finished in superior manner; possession immediately. Apply to A. M. LESLEY, No. 494 Broadway.

FOR SALE—AN ELEGANT THREE-STORY basement, sub-cellar, high stoop, brick house on the north side of 13th-st., near 4th-av.; also a large brownstone house, on 18th-st., near 3d-av. Apply to JOSEPH McGINN, No. 125 3d-av., near 14th-st.

A FIRST-CLASS MODERN STYLE RESIDENCE, 16 rooms, water, bath, gas, &c.; 5 acres choice land, fruit in great abundance, shade, lawn, &c.; finely situated at Elizabeth, N. J.; for sale cheap. Apply to W. P. SEYMOUR, No. 156 Broadway.

GREENWICH-ST. PROPERTY.—THE LOT, with the building thereon, No. 203 Greenwich-st., between Vesey and Fulton sts. Apply to JOHN McCLAVE, No. 44 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—THE THREE-STORY BRICK dwelling-house No. 28 Cheever-place, Brooklyn. Terms easy. Apply to COMMONWEALTH INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 151 Broadway.

FOR SALE—THE ELEGANT FOUR-STORY brown-stone, first-class houses and lots, No. 8 East 23d-st., and No. 9 East 22d st.; all the improvements. Apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st.

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For $1 50 a No. 4 Pen, 1st quality; or a No. 5 Pen, 2d quality; or a No. 6 Pen, 3d quality.
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ALSO,

Two handsome four-story brown-stone English basement houses, Nos. 138 and 140 12th-st., between 2d and 3d avs. Price $12,000 each.

ALSO,

A splendid building site at Irvington, on the Hudson, with extensive views, fine macadamized roads, &c., all ready for building. Price $16,000. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR SALE IN NEWARK—THE NEW AND elegant residence of the late James Tucker, Esq., Nos. 9 and 11 West Park-st.; location in the centre of the city; but a few steps from the Park; in the very best neighborhood and but five minutes' walk from the Centre-st. depot; ground 50x87 ft.; house 38x52 ft.; four story brown stone; has bay window in the street; built in the very best manner by days' work for the late owner as his residence; has all the modern improvements and conveniences, and the whole in the most complete order. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR SALE.—A BEAUTIFUL BUILDING SITE, containing about 25 acres, situated in the Highlands of the Hudson, 1½ miles from Garrison's, and directly opposite to West Point Military Academy. The grounds are unimproved, of easy access, and the prospect embraces such a picturesque combination of forest, river, mountain, plain, village and villa as are rarely to be met. The view extends 19 miles on the river, including Cozzens' Hotel, West Point parade-grounds, Coldspring, Newburgh and northward 40 miles. There are also on the premises the ruins of a redoubt and other relics of the revolution. From this point the view north and south is limited only by the horizon, and is indescribably grand. It must be seen. Inquire of the ticket agent, GARRISON'S, until sold.

IN ELIZABETH, N. J.—A MODERN HOUSE, with 20 rooms, including servants' apartments, conservatory, bathing room and store rooms, double windows for Winter use, hot and cold water and gas throughout, hot-air furnace, kitchen ranges, speaking pipes, &c.; outbuildings abundant, including gardener's cottage; 14 acres of land, 800 feet of grape arbor of best varieties; 300 pear trees in bearing, of all the best varieties of Summer, Autumn and Winter fruit, with all other fruits of this climate, within ten minutes' walk of railroad depot for New-York and Philadelphia, on paved sidewalks, &c.; is a handsome country residence within the city. Will be sold with part of the land if preferred. Apply to F. B. CHETWOOD, Elizabeth, N. J.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—For sale, the country residence of the late Isaac Newton, situated near Fort Lee, on the Hudson River, and comprising about twelve acres under high cultivation. The buildings include, with the dwelling-house, a barn and stable, greenhouse, hennery, &c. There are also two wells of excellent water, a good kitchen garden, orchard, grapes, small fruit, &c. The house commands a fine view, and the estate embraces a water front of six hundred feet. Immediate possession if desired. For further particulars, apply to WIGHT & PRENTICE, No. 19 Wall-st.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A FIRST-CLASS property, located at Spuyten Duyvil and fronting on the Hudson River; the grounds, embracing about five acres, are finely laid out, and the mansion is large and of a tasteful architecture; gas throughout; numerous outbuildings; location elegant; approachable by rail and drive from New-York; distance twelve miles from City Hall; price for sale, $35,000; and to let, $2,000 per annum, to a strictly private family. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR SALE AT NEW-BRUNSWICK, N. J.—A pleasantly-situated dwelling house, commanding a fine view of the city and surrounding country, with two acres of ground, barn, and other necessary outbuildings attached. The house is 42 feet square, two stories, attic and basement, well built, in good order, and beautifully shaded by trees; the garden is large and productive, and well stocked with fruit. Apply to JAMES R. HENRY, No. 55 Liberty-st., New-York.

FOR SALE—IN 10TH-ST., NEAR COOPER INstitute, a first-class house for $12,500.

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FARM FOR SALE—AT SCHENECTADY, N. Y., two miles from the business portion of the City, a farm of 114¾ acres of excellent land, nearly all cleared, well watered, and in a high state of cultivation. The buildings consist of a fine cottage, with wings, in excellent order, farm-house, barns, carriage-house, ice-house, and all necessary outbuildings; has two fine apple orchards and a variety of other fruit; also fine vegetable and flower gardens. This offers a rare opportunity for any one wishing to purchase a profitable farm in a healthy and pleasant location. Price $16,000, on favorable terms. Inquire of WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM, Schenectady, or BENEDICT & COIT, No. 4 Pine-st.

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FOR SALE—A SMALL HOUSE AND LOT, 52 by 200 feet, on the Bergen Point plank-road, (called Bergen-av., near Myrtle,) South Bergen, 20 minutes' ride from Jersey City ferry, on the dummy-road. Fruit trees and grapevines on the premises. Apply to JOSEPH B. PURDY, No. 34 Maiden-lane.

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COUNTRY RESIDENCES.

FOR SALE—A RESIDENCE AT TUBBY-HOOK, suitable for Winter and Summer. The house is well built, roomy, comfortable, and in good order, has hot-air furnace, bath and water-closet, gas throughout, and is well supplied with well and cistern water. The outbuildings are: two coach-houses, with stable, cow-house, tool-house, woodsheds, ice-house, (filled) and hennery; all in perfect order. There are 3½ acres of land, divided in garden and lawn. The situation overlooks the Hudson River, is perfectly healthy, and the neighborhood is in every way unexceptionable. Time from 30th-st. Station to Tubby Hook, 26 minutes; house 5 minutes' walk from station. All roads in the immediate vicinity are lighted with gas. Apply to F. M. JONES, No. 54 Walker-st.

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FOR SALE—IDELE, THE COUNTRY SEAT OF the family of the late T. Streatfield Clarkson, formerly known as Clermont, the residence of the late Chancellor Livingston. The property is situated in the township of Clermont, Columbia County, and comprises about 200 acres, having a river front of over half a mile. The place is unequaled upon the Hudson.

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AT NORTH NEW-YORK—FOR SALE—Houses with a lot and a half to each, for $3,500. Terms easy; cross the 3d-av., Harlem River Bridge to 138th-st. Inquire of T. RAE, Agent.

REAL ESTATE.

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The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24, 1864.

Amusements this Evening.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Ione; or The Last Days of Pompeii.
WALLACK'S—Rosedale.
WINTER GARDEN—The Ticket-of-Leave Man.
OLYMPIC THEATRE—Pride of the Market—Illtreated Il Trovatore.
NIBLO'S GARDEN—The Duke's Motto.
BARNUM'S MUSEUM—Great Arabian Giant—French Giant—Giant Girl, Giant Boy, Two Dwarfs, Moving Wax Figures, &c., at all hours—Miriam's Crime, Harrison, Comic Singer and Tyrolean Whistler, at 3 and 7½ P. M.
CIRCUS—BROADWAY AMPHITHEATRE—(No. 485 Broadway)—Equestrian Performances.
THE HIPPOTHEATRON—Hippotheatronic Performances.
VAN AMBURGH & CO.'S MENAGERIE—(Nos. 539 and 541 Broadway)—Moral Exhibition and Egyptian Caravan.
HOWE'S GREAT CIRCUS—(Nos. 199 and 201 Bowery.)
HOPE CHAPEL, No. 718 Broadway—The Stereoscopticon, or Mirror of the Universe.
NIBLO'S SALOON—Farewell Concert.

☞ Advertisements for the Weekly Times must be handed in before 10 o'clock this evening.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE REBELLION.

By last evening's mails we received full files of Richmond journals from Feb. 9 to 20 inclusive. Their contents are interesting. The particulars of affairs in Alabama, especially at Mobile, are meagre, but show that Sherman's approach had inspired the authorities with great fear. The escapade of Union officers from Libby Prison had created great excitement, and the papers award the fugitives great credit for their adroitness. Fifty-eight of the one hundred and nine who escaped, are said to have been recaptured. The rebel Congress adjourned on the 18th for a vacation until May next, after passing the Tax Currency and Military Bills, and appointing a day of fasting and prayer on the 8th of April next. These measures are of the most desperate character. The present currency is compulsorily funded by a repudiation of one-third of its value on the 1st of April next; a tax of five to fifteen per cent. is levied on all real, personal, or mixed property; while the conscription sweeps all classes and conditions into the army. The habeas corpus is suspended, and tobacco and cotton are to be run through the blockade, to get food from foreign sources. The Congress issued a long address before it adjourned, intended to bolster up the hopes of the desponding rebels a few months longer. An article in the Richmond *Examiner*, on the prospects of the Confederacy, reviews the military situation, and thanks its stars that matters are no worse than they are—that certain anticipated disasters have not occurred, and that a recent rebel raid actually captured a railroad train and a steamboat—from which it draws the consolation that rebel prospects are hopeful and cheering. In the generosity of our hearts, 'twould be cruel to refuse them these little crumbs of comfort.

An affair occurred on Monday morning near Vienna Court-house, Va., between a band of guerrillas and a detachment of 150 men of the Second Massachusetts Cavalry, which resulted very badly for the cavalry. They were returning to camp from a scouting expedition, and were suddenly opened upon with a heavy fire from the guerrillas who were concealed in a piece of dense wood by the roadside. Eight of our men were killed, seven wounded, and from fifty to seventy-five are missing, probably made prisoners. The guerrillas escaped unhurt. Among the killed is Capt. J. S. Reed, who commanded the detachment.

The bark *John Gilpin*, from the Cape of Good-Hope, with advices to Dec. 31, arrived at Boston yesterday, bringing intelligence of the seizure by the Cape Town authorities of the pirate *Tuscaloosa*, on the ground of her violation of the British neutrality laws. The special reason assigned for this action of the British Government, says the Cape Town *Advertiser*, is that the vessel is still owned by the United States—the rebels having made a prize of her and converted her into a vessel of war without taking her for condemnation before a prize court. Such a loose method of procedure Great Britain will no longer countenance. The commander of the *Tuscaloosa*, Lieut. Lowe, has lodged a formal protest against the seizure with the Cape Town officials.

A Captain in the Second Mississippi Infantry, (A. D.,) under date of the 10th, Natchez, writes: "We had a fight last Sunday with 4,000 rebels, under Brig.-Gen. Roleneck, who attacked Vidalia, La., opposite Natchez. Our regiment was ordered over. We formed in line behind the levee, and waited till the rebels were within 200 yards, and then let them have it good. They fell back for a few moments, rallied, and came back a second time at a 'charge bayonets.' We were ready, and poured such a volley into them that they retreated at a double quick, leaving their dead, dying and wounded behind. They will not forget us. Our colored soldiers have shown themselves equal to any emergency."

The report that the pirate *Alabama* was at Amoy, China, on the 3d of last month seems to be untrue. A Calcutta letter says that on the day in question, the *Alabama* was spoken by the British ship *Pearl*, 30 miles south of Sand Heads, a point nearly two thousand miles from Amoy.

Full rations were to be issued to the army at Knoxville on Monday.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate, yesterday, Mr. Foote was elected President *pro tem.* Mr. Sumner presented the petition of Mr. Stockton, of Arkansas, asking that Congress shall establish after the close of the war, a standing army of 200,000 negroes, to be officered exclusively by white men. Mr. Sumner presented the petitions of Gov. Andrews, Josiah Quincy and others praying for such amendments to the Constitution as will abolish Slavery forever. Mr. Morgan presented the petition of the New-York Chamber of Commerce, asking for legislation for the fostering of commerce. The Committee on Military Affairs were instructed to inquire into the expediency of increasing the number of cadets at West Point to four hundred. The bill to equalize the pay of soldiers was taken up, and Mr. Davis' amendment to disband negro troops, and employ them only as laborers and teamsters, received seven votes, while thirty were cast against it. Mr. Fessenden presented the report of the Conference Committee on the Revenue Bill, and the Senate agreed to it. The joint resolution for promoting enlistments was then taken up, and after discussion, the subject was postponed. After a long Executive session the Senate adjourned.

In the House, the consideration of the bill to establish a Bureau of Freedmen's Affairs, was resumed, and Mr. Kelley, of Pennsylvania, made a strong speech in its favor. A message was received from the Senate announcing its agreement to the report of the Conference Committee on the Enrollment Bill. Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, moved that the House disagree to the report, which, after lengthy discussion, was adopted, the report being nonconcurred in by a vote of 57 Yeas to 86 Nays. A new Conference Committee was then asked of the Senate. The ground of the nonconcurrence was the refusal of the Committee to tax spirits on hand. The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union, when several members made political speeches, and the House adjourned.

GENERAL NEWS.

The Board of Supervisors met yesterday. Bills for fitting up the building on the Palace Garden Grounds for military purposes, were reported and passed, amounting to $7,459 89. Mr. Purdy announced his intention to ask the board, at the next meeting, to memorialize the Legislature to discontinue the Record Commission. It appears that efforts are being made at Albany to fill the vacancy in the Commission. The board adjourned to 3 o'clock P. M. of March 1.

In course of the trial of Allerton against the City yesterday, before Justice Peckham in the Supreme Court, the case being that of the Bull's Head Hotel for damages occasioned by the July riots, Mr. John K. Hackett, Assistant Corporation Counsel, stated that he understood from the Comptroller that there were pending in all the courts 1,695 of these cases, the amounts claimed varying from $7 to $207,000.

The Board of Aldermen had no quorum at their meeting yesterday, and stand adjourned without date.

The steamship *Bohemian*, of the Montreal Steamship Company's line, was totally wrecked on Monday evening, by striking on Alden's Rock, off Cape Elizabeth (six miles from Portland, Me.) She had on board 19 cabin passengers and 199 steerage passengers, and 17 of the latter class were drowned. The cargo of the *Bohemian* consisted of silks and other goods valued at $1,000,000, which, with the bulk of the mails, and other property, will doubtless be entirely lost. The *Bohemian*, we believe, is the seventh vessel of the line that has been wrecked.

The *National Republican*, of Monday, says: "We are authorized by a distinguished friend of Mr. Chase to state that the Secretary of the Treasury denies having any knowledge of the 'Circular,' published in our first edition, and signed S. C. Pomeroy, Chairman of the Executive National Committee.' We doubted the genuineness of the document when we first saw it, and now we are glad to be able to state that the whole thing is a hoax. The Copperhead papers that appear to rejoice over it have had a joke practiced upon them."

The Baltimore *American's* Point Lookout correspondent, under date of Feb. 22, in alluding to Gen. Butler's present visit to the rebel camp at that locality, says: "When Gen. Butler was first appointed to this department all manner of epithets were heaped upon him by the rebels, but since they have seen the kind and humane manner in which the General always uses his prisoners, public opinion has changed, and I am satisfied if Jeff. Davis was to leave it with the prisoners here there would soon be an exchange, and they would very willingly exchange with Gen. Butler."

The Lexington (Kentucky) *Observer* is informed that Basil Duke was released from close confinement through the efforts of Archbishop Purcell, of Cincinnati.

At the live stock markets of this City there were offered for sale during the week just passed, 4,665 beef cattle, 389 calves, 12,862 sheep and 7,603 hogs. The change from very cold to mild, Spring-like weather, diminishes the demand for meat, besides thawing out and throwing upon the market large quantities of frozen dressed animals and poultry.... Beeves sold quickly Monday at a trifling advance from last week, but large arrivals Tuesday caused a decline of ½c.℔1c. ℔ ℔., making the general average about as one week ago, or 12c. per ℔. for the meat. The range was from 10c. for very poor animals to 15c. for prime, and 16c. for a few very extra fat bullocks. Cattle nearly all sold.... Sheep are plenty and dull of sale, though prices are fully maintained, being 8¼c.@8¾c. for fat, and 9c. for extra sheep. Some poor stock was sold for 7c.@7½c.... Live Hogs go off slowly since the change to warm weather, with the continuation of the Lenten season. Fat corn-fed hogs are selling at 8c.@8½c., and still hogs at 7½c.

Flour and Wheat were quite heavy, and quoted lower, yesterday. Corn was in moderate request and dearer. Oats and Barley were in good demand and buoyant. An active business was transacted in Provisions, especially Pork, which advanced in price. Sugars were in good request. Moderate sales of Hay, Hops, Metals, Oils, Teas, Tallow and Tobacco, were reported, generally, at former rates. Cotton was inactive and depressed. Whisky was more sought after and was quoted higher. Light freight engagements were effected

The price of Gold further declined 1 per cent. yesterday. Exchange on London left off 172¼ per cent. The supply of Money easy. The Railway speculation somewhat unsettled, and prices lower than on Monday by 1@2 per cent.

Abandonment of Raffling at the Fair.—Official notice is at length given that all raffles, as a means of raising money for sick and disabled soldiers at the approaching fair, are abandoned, "in deference to a formal petition sent to them by the Standing Committee of the Sanitary Commission." That committee, of which Rev. Dr. Bellows is Chairman, urge sundry reasons for this course, and close by saying that they trust the lady managers of the fair "will no longer hesitate when we express our full readiness to *run all the risk of the loss*" in receipts which may be thus incurred. They think the high moral influence of the course which they advise will be a full equivalent for any falling off in pecuniary receipts. If the object of the fair were to exert a moral influence, this argument might have weight; and if the committee of the Sanitary Commission were the parties to suffer from a "falling off in receipts," their "readiness to run that risk" would be of substantial value. But the sole object and purpose of this fair is to raise money for sick and wounded soldiers. Every dollar diverted needlessly from that object entails suffering on those brave men which might have been prevented. We do not see how the readiness of the committee to run the risk of this result is to soothe the sick or satisfy the public.

In spite of all that has been said on the subject, we regard the abandonment of this feature of the fair as a simple concession to a well-meant, but narrow and unfounded clamor. It may have been wise, it doubtless seemed to the ladies necessary, to yield to a clamor led by the clergy, based on moral and religious scruples, and by implication, at least, branding those who did not assent to it as immoral and irreligious. It is not easy ever to resist such a crusade, no matter how repugnant it may be to common sense. The fact that hundreds and thousands of fairs, for charitable purposes, for building churches, for aiding ministers, and for benevolent objects of every kind have been held in every part of the country, not only without objection but with the active aid and coöperation of the best men in the community, including clergymen, certainly renders it somewhat remarkable that the fair in this City for the relief of the suffering soldiers should be made the mark for the first crusade.

Dr. Bellows, in a letter on the subject, partly apologetic and partly explanatory, makes a very fair appeal to those who have succeeded in cutting off this means of raising money for the sick and wounded defenders of their country, to devise other means of effectually supplying its place.

The Circular in Favor of Mr. Chase.

Notwithstanding the denial of the Washington *Republican*, the Chase Circular, which we published yesterday, purporting to emanate from Senator Pomeroy, as Chairman of a "National Executive Committee," was a genuine document. The *Republican* is understood to prefer Mr. Chase for the Union Presidential nominee, and was in a position to know the truth. But it turns out, just as we supposed, that there really is a self-appointed "Executive Committee" in the interest of Mr. Chase, and that this extraordinary production is actually its issue.

Now, far be it from us to say one word in derogation of Gov. Chase. He has great merits, both personal and official. We have never failed to recognize them. Should the nomination of the Union National Convention be given to him, we should support it cheerfully and to the best of our ability. The triumph of the cause is the great concern.

But we protest against the spirit of this movement. It is unworthy of the cause, and fraught with nothing but mischief. If there are Union men who honestly believe that it is better that there should be a change in the National Administration while the war is still in progress, and that this change should be made in favor of Mr. Chase rather than any other man, it is right that they should express that belief, and even that they should associate in order to extend it. It would be better, undoubtedly, to have this whole Presidential question kept in abeyance for a time longer, and to devote every energy to the strengthening of the military arm of the Government against the last desperate effort which the rebels are preparing to put forth; but it seems impossible to divert the thoughts of the people entirely from what must necessarily soon be the great civil topic. There has been, and still is, an almost irrepressible popular feeling in favor of the renomination of Mr. Lincoln. It has manifested itself in unanimous resolutions to that effect by the Union State Conventions of New-Hampshire, Connecticut and Maryland, and by large majorities of the Union members of the Legislatures of New-Jersey, of Pennsylvania, of Maryland, of Minnesota, of Kansas, of California, and by votes of very many Union committees and clubs. No one, therefore, can justly complain if those who prefer Mr. Chase begin to take action in his favor, provided they use none but fair means. But this circular is grossly unfair. It can do Mr. Chase no good; it can do the Union cause nothing but harm.

The first reason assigned against Mr. Lincoln is enough of itself to stamp the whole movement as selfish and factious. We are told that "even were the reëlection of Mr. Lincoln desirable, it is practically impossible against the union of influences which will oppose him." Now, if this means anything, it means a threat that if Mr. Lincoln is renominated by the Union National Convention, there will be a bolt by the supporters of other candidates, which will have the effect of dividing the Union party, and defeating Mr. Lincoln before the people. Nobody doubts that the popular majorities of one hundred and seventy-five thousand given at the last elections against the Copperheads are only a partial measure of the present preponderance of the Union party. The nominee of the Union National Convention will be morally certain of election unless a portion of the Union party itself opposes him. This Chase Committee aver that there will be such opposition, if Mr. Lincoln is renominated—in other words, that they intend to go into that convention prepared to accept its conclusions if in their favor, but to reject and resist them, if not in their favor. It is virtually a notice in advance of their purpose to turn against the nomination, unless it is made to suit them.

Are these men mad? Do they seriously think that they are advancing Mr. Chase's interests by this public notification that they intend to rend the party unless the majority of the party will agree to nominate him? Do they imagine that the Union masses of the North are in a mood to tolerate such treachery to the Union cause, and to lend themselves passively to a division which would enable copperheadism to seize the power it now so hopelessly covets? There never was a greater delusion. We have too high an opinion of Mr. Chase to believe it possible that under any circumstances he would consent to run as an independent candidate against the regular nominee of the National Convention. But even if he could be prevailed upon to do this, his followers would be swept before the indignation of the loyal people like chaff before the whirlwind. The regular nominee of that convention, whoever he may be, and whatever "union of influences" may oppose him, will receive the hearty support of all true Union men, and will be elected by a larger majority than has been received by any Presidential candidate for a generation.

But we are told that Mr. Lincoln has a "manifest tendency toward compromises and temporary expedients of policy," which injures "the cause of human liberty and the dignity and honor of the nation." No attempt is made to show this. Every dispassionate man knows that it has not the slightest foundation in truth—that it is positively absurd to charge a compromising disposition upon the author of the instantaneous call for an army after Sumter was fired upon, the author of the Emancipation Proclamation, the author of the oath to be taken as the prerequisite of amnesty, and the author or approver of all the other thorough measures which have been employed against the rebellion. Mr. Lincoln's crime in the eyes of these men is that he has allowed the war to work out its developments by its own natural methods instead of endeavoring to force them prematurely, and that he has conformed his policy to the progress of public opinion instead of distracting and alienating the loyal mind of the country by seeking to impose upon it measures it was not yet prepared to accept. This conduct has been the highest practical wisdom. Without it, the continued cohesion of the Union party through the trying period of the war would have been a moral impossibility. Instead of being a reproach, it is in fact the preëminent merit of President Lincoln—the one thing which above all others commends him to the special confidence of the people. Even the most thoroughgoing radicals, if they be intelligent and free from passion, appreciate and admire this consummate felicity of doing everything at its appropriate time. This was strikingly exhibited by the Unconditional Union State Convention of Maryland a day or two since, which put forth the most radical doctrine in regard to Slavery. It resolved that "this convention is in favor of the *entire and immediate abolition of Slavery* in this State and the States in rebellion, and is opposed to any organization of State Governments in those States which do not *recognize the immediate abolishment of Slavery as a condition precedent*." And yet the same convention elected delegates to the National Convention, whom it instructed by formal resolution to "vote for Abraham Lincoln first, last, and all the time."

All of these efforts to weaken the trust of the people in Mr. Lincoln, or to intimidate them into the support of some other candidate by threats of an independent nomination, are vain, and will only recoil upon their authors. The people, we believe, have their hearts firmly set upon being served for another term by him who has so faithfully and so wisely served them in this. If this be the case, not all the machinations of dissatisfied politicians can do the first thing toward securing for themselves a different result.

The Rebel Congress, Greeting.

The "First Permanent Confederate Congress" has just come to a close, and as there is but an infinitesimally small probability that there ever will be another, the body have improved the opportunity to "give some account of their stewardship," as they call it. In a long rigmarole, with which we cannot now afford to encumber our columns, these worthies review the past, characterize the present and attempt to peer into the future.

Their theory of secession is delicious: "The step was taken reluctantly, *by constraint*, and after the exhaustion of every measure that was likely to secure us from interference," etc. "This Government," they go on to say, "is a child of law instead of sedition, of right instead of violence, of deliberation instead of insurrection." Surely they had a right to expect they would be allowed to live in peace, with no one to molest or make them afraid. "We had a right to expect that we would be permitted, without molestation, to cultivate the arts of peace, and vindicate on our chosen arena, *and with the selected type of social characteristics*, our claims to civilization." But, no: "these reasonable anticipations were doomed to disappointment." The wicked ogres of the North persisted in firing on them at Fort Sumter, and this being so, they very reasonably "*charge the responsibility of this war upon the United States.*" The wager of battle having been tendered, it was accepted; and "quite recently scores of regiments have reënlisted for the war"—though, with touching simplicity, they forget to mention that they had themselves, in the first place, voted their continuance, and the legislation to that effect is found in the very same page of the paper in which their address is published. The utter abandonment of their cruel enemy is shown by the refusal to accept propositions of peace, and really they don't now see what is to be done, unless, indeed, they may hope that "when reason returns our enemies may reflect that a people like ours can never be subdued." And to show the *impolicy* of subjugation, even if it were possible, (which of course it is not,) they put forth an argument which they may justly deem well fitted to touch the Yankee in his most sensitive spot. "To impoverish us *would only be to dry up some of the springs of Northern prosperity*—to destroy Southern wealth is to reduce Northern profits, *while the restoration of peace would necessarily reëstablish some commercial intercourse*." What! intercourse with the detested Hessians? Touching self-abnegation! But blindly unmindful of all just views of political economy and the interests of profit and loss, the "oppressors" have inaugurated another reign of Goths and Vandals, and, "disregarding the teachings of approved writers on international law," have even gone to such outrageous lengths as to declare the emancipation of all "servants."

This is a frightful condition of things, and the assembled rebel wisdom very truthfully declares that "the situation is grave." Still it is some consolation to reflect that "the enemy is not free from difficulties." Beneficent bankruptcy may come; then again, "the crops in the United States have been short," and there is just a hope that we may be starved out. But if neither of these agencies proves effective, they can only trust that "the Lord may graciously interpose." If this is their sole hope we fear they are in a bad way, for an illustrious Virginian long ago said that the Almighty had no attributes of a kind to make him sympathize with slavemongers, and it is another maxim whose benefit we hope to reap, that Providence is generally on the side of the heaviest battalions. On the whole, this manifesto of the rebel Congress, both from what it reveals and what it conceals, is a most striking evidence of the utter hopelessness of the cause which that body has done its best for the past three years to sustain, but concerning which there is only the slenderest likelihood these worthies will ever again be called upon to legislate or to lie.

Presidential.—As we anticipated, the Washington *Republican* does not pronounce the Pomeroy circular, which we published yesterday, to be a *hoax*, upon any responsible authority. It only claims the authority of a "distinguished friend of Mr. Chase for stating that the Secretary of the Treasury denied having any knowledge of it." Mr. Pomeroy does not deny its authenticity.

A Curiosity.—A gentleman of this City intends giving to the New-York Fair a lottery ticket once bought and owned by George Washington. As it would be highly improper to dispose of it by raffling, it will probably be sold to the highest bidder.

Theodore D. Weld, author of *Slavery as It Is*, *The Bible Against Slavery*, and one of the most eloquent champions of Freedom in the country, speaks on the Rebellion to-night, at the Cooper Institute. Subject—"The Work, the Time, and the Way."

Italian Opera.—Petrella's beautiful and popular opera of "Ione, or the Last Days of Pompeii," will be performed to-night at the Academy of Music, with its original cast, including Mme. Medori, Miss Sulzer, Mazzoleni, Bellini and Biachi.

To-morrow, (Thursday,) Sig. Brignoli will appear in "La Somnambula," with Miss Kellogg as *Amina* and Sig. Biachi as the *Count*.

THE WAR IN THE SOUTHWEST.

Progress of Gen. Smith's Cavalry Expedition—The Enemy Surprised at Pontotoc—Our Forces Confident—Nothing New from Gen. Sherman.

Memphis, Saturday, Feb. 20.

A courier, just from Gen. Smith's cavalry expedition, reports that the Tallahatchie River was guarded for fifteen miles in front of Holly Springs, as Gen. Forrest expected the expedition would cross near that place.

Smith's advanced brigade of infantry occupied the enemy's attention from this side, while he moved east to New-Albany with cavalry, where he expected to effect a crossing on the 16th, but was delayed twenty-four hours by the slow movements of Gen. Waring's brigade. The enemy was taken completely by surprise by this movement, and Gen. Smith entered Pontouac on the 17th, where skirmishing was going on when the courier left. All were in fine spirits, and confident of penetrating to the vitals of the "Confederacy" and coming out safely.

Twenty-four prisoners were taken at Tallahatchie.

The cotton market is dull and unchanged.

Cairo, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

Advices from Vicksburgh to the 16th report nothing new from Gen. Sherman's expedition.

Gen. Smith's cavalry were followed and harrassed by Forrest and Chalmers.

Detachments of the Nineteenth Pennsylvania Cavalry arrived at Memphis on the 20th from the Tallahatchie, where they left Gen. Smith's command and returned with dispatches.

NEWS FROM CAIRO.

Cotton Arrivals—Burning of 12,000 Bales of Hay—Capture of Rebel Officers with a Rebel Mail.

Cairo, Ill., Monday, Feb. 22.

The steamer *Graham*, from Memphis yesterday, has arrived here, with 90 bales of cotton for St. Louis.

Twelve barges, containing 12,000 bales of hay, were burned at Memphis on the evening of the 20th inst. The hay was valued at $200,000, and belonged to Gaff, Cochrane & Co.

Another account says the hay had been delivered over to the Government.

The gunboat *Conestoga*, ten miles below the mouth of Red River, recently captured four rebel officers, two of them Colonels, while attempting to cross the river with a large rebel mail, $200,000 in New-Orleans money, thirty bales of cotton, a number of mules horses and wagons and other property, to be delivered to the Quartermaster at Natchez. The prisoners were retained on the gunboat.

Nearly 300 rebels have been captured in the neighborhood of Helena, and sent to Nashville by Gen. Buford, during the past month.

The steamer *Olive Branch*, from New-Orleans, on the 15th, with 91 bales of cotton and a large lot of sugar and molasses for St. Louis, and the Second Illinois Cavalry, Col. Mudd, returned veterans, has arrived here.

St. Louis, Monday, Feb. 22.

Gens. Rosecrans and Firkes, with their Staffs, went to Alton this afternoon to inaugurate the Alton Sanitary Fair, which opens to-night. They will also inspect the Military Prison at that point, where some 2,000 prisoners are now confined.

The Democratic Convention at Albany.

Albany, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

Nearly one hundred delegates to the Democratic State Convention, to be held at Tweedle Hall to-morrow, arrived to-day, and many from the river counties and New-York City are expected by the midnight train. Among the notables of the party already here are, Dean Richmond, Judge Hastings of Livingston, Judge Parker, Judge Cushner, Ex-Senator Aiken of Dutchess, Gen. Farrell of Columbia, Gen. John A. Green, John McKeon, Philip W. Engs, Ex-Senator Connolly, Gideon J. Tucker, Capt. Rynders, Benjamin Ray.

There will be united delegations from Kings and all the other counties in the State, except Westchester and New-York. New-York sends four delegations—Tammany, Mozart, McKeon and the German. It is thought that Tammany and Mozart are ready to unite. But a majority of the county delegates who are here to-night seem disposed to give the McKeon delegation a representation, and it is not improbable that each will be given an equal voice in the Convention.

No strife is apparent as to the choice of delegates to the National Convention.

Gen. Burnside.

Portland, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

Major-Gen. Burnside went to Augusta in a special train this morning, where he received his friends in the Governor's Room at the State House, this evening. He takes a special train at 5 A. M. to-morrow for Boston.

The Chesapeake Case.

St. John, N. B., Tuesday, Feb. 23.

In the *Chesapeake* case the magistrates have reserved their decision until to-morrow.

Arrivals in the City.

Col. S. G. Griffin, of New-Haven, and Dr. Ingals, of Chicago, are stopping at the Everett House.

J. E. Wheeler, of Newport; S. B. Pierce, and B. W. Kendall, of Boston, are stopping at the Clarendon Hotel.

Hon. S. A. Biglow, C. H. Mills, and H. C. Weston, of Boston; T. E. Spooner, of Springfield, and O. A. Shear, of Albany, are stopping at the Fifth-avenue Hotel.

C. Granger and party, of Providence; J. Q. A. Rollins, of Colorado; J. Hollister, of Buffalo; J. Hooper, of Baltimore, and J. Allen, of Boston, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

Commodore Howell and wife; Maj. H. A. Davis, of Syracuse; Capt. R. F. Loper, of Philadelphia; H. J. Hastings, of Albany; C. Platt and wife, of Norwalk; G. Ames, of Chicopee; B. Sprague and Maj. B. F. Thurston, of Providence, are stopping at the Astor House.

Munificent Gift to the Sanitary Commission.—George Elliot, Esq., of London, has presented to the Sanitary Commission one thousand tons of coal, delivering it for shipment, free of all charges. Cyrus W. Field, Esq., at present in London, communicates the fact to the commission, to whom he also sends the correspondence on the subject between Mr. Elliot and himself. It is a most munificent gift, and will justly elicit the thanks of the public.

Charitable Concert.—A grand vocal concert will be given this evening, at Irving Hall, for the benefit of the Free Church of the Redemption (Rev. Mr. Dixon's.) A variety of popular pieces are included in the programme, and Miss Jennie Kempton, Mr. Geo. Morgan, and other eminent musicians will take part in the entertainment. The concert will be under the direction of Mr. George Leach, who is always successful in managing affairs of this kind.

THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC.

An Affair Between Cavalry and Guerrillas

A Detachment of the Second Massachusetts Surprised by Mosby's Men.

Our Losses Eight Killed, Seven Wounded and from 50 to 75 Made Prisoners.

Washington, Tuesday, Feb. 2 .

It is stated that yesterday morning about 11 o'clock, as a detachment of the Second Massachusetts Cavalry, under command of Capt. J. L. Reed, who had been out on a scouting expedition, were returning toward Dranesville, Va., on the way to Vienna, they were attacked on the Dranesville Pike, about two miles from the latter place by a gang of rebel guerrillas, supposed to be under the notorious Mosby, concealed in the pines. In the detachment of Massachusetts Cavalry there were 150 men, while Mosby, it is supposed, had at least between 200 and 300 men. The Second Massachusetts were fired upon from the dense pine woods near Drainesville, and retreated. Afterward eight of our men were found dead and seven wounded, while, it is supposed, from fifty to seventy-five were taken prisoners. At least, that number is missing; but as scattering ones are coming in from time to time, the number will doubtless be considerably reduced. Among the prisoners is Capt. Manning, of Maine. Capt. J. S. Reed, the Commander of the detachment, was shot through the left lung, and died in a few minutes after being wounded. Capt. Reed's corpse has been brought to this city, and will be embalmed by Drs. Brown and Alexander, and thence be sent North to his wife, who lives in Dorchester, Mass.

Mosby beat a precipitate retreat. Troops were at once sent in pursuit of the guerrillas, but the pursuing party has not yet been heard from.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE N. Y. TIMES.

Washington, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

ESCAPE OF SOME OF THE CAVALRY.

Lieut. Debney, of the Second Massachusetts Cavalry, and twenty-five men who were captured by Mosby's guerrillas at Drainesville, succeeded in effecting their escape. They crossed the Potomac at Muddy Branch. Not more than twenty prisoners in all are still in the hands of the rebels.

THE REBEL PIRATES.

Seizure of the Tuscaloosa by the British Authorities at Cape Town for Violation of the Neutrality Laws.

Boston, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The bark *John Gilpin* at this port, brings dates from Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope, to Dec. 31.

She reports that the rebel pirate *Tuscaloosa* had been seized by the British authorities at the Cape for violation of the Neutrality Laws in landing a portion of a captured cargo on that coast.

The *Tuscaloosa* put into Simon's Bay, Dec. 26, to obtain supplies and repairs. Shortly after dropping anchor, the Admiral, Sir Baldwin Walker, dispatched a boarding party, who seized the vessel, under the authority of the British Government.

The *Tuscaloosa* was in command of Lieut. Lowe, who had returned to Simon's Bay after a three months' cruise, during which, out of nearly one hundred vessels, she had met with only one Federal ship.

In the meantime she had been ordered away from a Brazilian port, in consequence of which her crew were placed upon short allowance.

After the seizure of the vessel Lieut. Lowe lodged a formal protest against the proceeding, and proceeded to Cape Town to consult with legal advisers.

Mr. Graham, United States Consul, had also lodged a claim against the vessel in behalf of her former owners, and it was thought that the question raised as to the legality of her condemnation by Capt. Semmes, who claims to constitute a prize court, by authority from the rebel Government, will have to be argued before and decided by Sir Wm. Hodges in the Admiralty Court.

The Cape Town *Advertiser* states that in the seizure of the *Tuscaloosa*, Admiral Walker acted in the matter according to special instructions, sent out to the colony by the Home Government, and the prize will be detained by him on behalf of the Government until she is claimed by her legal owners.

The grounds of the seizure are, that the *Tuscaloosa* is a vessel belonging to the Federal States of America; and not having been adjudicated before a prize court, is still an uncondemned prize, which having been brought into an English port in violation of the neutrality laws, must accordingly be detained.

It will be recollected that the *Tuscaloosa* was captured by the rebels and turned into a pirate.

The Federal vessel referred to as having been captured by the *Tuscaloosa* was the ship *Living Age*, before reported.

The Alabama off Calcutta.

Boston, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

A letter from Calcutta Jan. 5, says the British ship *Pearl*, at this port, spoke on the 3d inst. the pirate steamer *Alabama*, 30 miles south of Sand Heads.

The Opening of the Patent-Office Fair.

A SPEECH FROM MR. LINCOLN.

[*By People's Telegraph, No. 21 Wall-street.*]

Washington, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

At the opening of the Patent-office Fair last night, after Mr. Chittenden had delivered his speech, Major B. B. French read a patriotic poem, which was loudly applauded. Loud calls being made then for the President, Mr. Lincoln stepped forward and said that he appeared before the audience to apologize for not speaking, rather than to speak. He thought that the committee had practiced a little fraud on him, for they did not intimate when they came to see him in the morning that they expected him to speak there, for he had come before the audience totally unprepared to say anything. That was taking one at great disadvantage after the eloquent speech of Mr. Chittenden and the poem of Mr. French. There was great objection to his saying anything, for necessarily, in consequence of his position, everything went into print. [Laughter and applause.]. If he made any mistakes, it might do both himself and the nation harm. [Applause.] It was very difficult to say sensible things, [laughter;] he therefore hoped that the audience would excuse him, after expressing his desire that the charitable enterprise in which they were engaged might be abundantly successful. [Applause.]

The Long Island Sanitary Fair.—The rush to the Academy of Music yesterday, from the opening of the doors at 9 o'clock A. M. until the closing at night, was tremendous. The street in front was packed and jammed with women and children nearly all day long, who worried and crowded to get into the main entrance, while many who had got inside were glad to get outside again in consequence of the dense crowd. In the evening it was so jammed that there was no comfort anywhere—the goods could not be seen for the crowd, and the victuals having all been used up in the day time there was no lunching at night. The throng was so dense that the Directors ordered the gates to be closed at 20 minutes to 9 o'clock P. M., after which no one was admitted, either with or without season tickets. There were probably 10,000 persons present in the day-time, and as many in the evening. There was a constant going in and coming out, so as to completely tire out everybody connected with the office. The receipts are large, and since the opening of the fair on Monday may reach $25,000.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Hundreds of ladies and gentlemen were nearly crushed to death, this evening, in attempting to get out of the Academy of Music while the multitude was rushing in. Will the managers of the Great Fair simply establish one or two places of egress, and thus avoid the repetition of this useless and dangerous occurrence?

CAUTION.

Tuesday, Feb. 23, 1864.

SERIOUS MARINE DISASTER.

WRECK OF THE STEAMSHIP BOHEMIAN.

NINETEEN LIVES LOST

Full List of the Cabin and Steerage Passengers.

The Cargo Valued at One Million Dollars.

Capt. Borland's Report upon the Condition of the Vessel.

PORTLAND, ME., Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The steamship *Bohemian*, Capt. BORLAND, from Liverpool, struck on Alden's Rock, four miles outside of Cape Elizabeth, about 9 o'clock last evening, beat over, turned head toward the shore, and sunk in about an hour and a half, about two miles from the shore outside of Richmond's Island, having stove a hole in her engine compartment.

Part of the steerage passengers are supposed lost.

Her bridge is covered at high water and the seas are breaking over her.

The night was clear and the Cape light in full view.

The *Bohemian* had nineteen cabin passengers, all of whom are supposed to be saved; and 199 steerage passengers.

It cannot be ascertained how many of the latter are lost.

Boat No. 2 was swamped alongside, owing to people crowding into it, and came ashore on the Cape with a man and child in it both dead.

The people at the Ocean House and in the fishing house on the Cape sent teams for the sufferers.

The following passengers are saved: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, A. Y. Gilman, Alexander Empy, Mr. Fulfow, J. G. Millar, Mr. Welch, Mr. Woodruff, Rev. Mr. Richardson, W. B. Smith, Capt. Welles, Capt. Stone, John Johnson, James Higston, John Robertson, Pussey Smith, —— Scallant, James Scatchard.

Supposed to be saved, Mr. Stewart.

Crew saved: the captain, purser, mail officer, stewards, and chief cook, chief stewards, two engineers, and others.

The intelligence reached this city at 1 o'clock this morning, and a tugboat was sent off at once. She has not yet returned.

The *Bohemian* had a cargo of silks and other goods, mostly on Canadian and Provincial account, valued at one million of dollars.

The ship was going at half speed.

SECOND DISPATCH.

PORTLAND, Me., Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The *Bohemian's* papers were saved, and the following is the list of her passengers in full:

Mr. Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, Messrs. Empley, Johnson, Fulford, Hingston, J. S. Millar, Richardson, Alcott, Smith, Welsh, Smith, Scletcherly, Stewart, Gilmore and Robertson, of Canada; and Capts. Wells and Stone, of the United States.

All these were cabin passengers, and are known to be saved.

The following were the steerage passengers:

J. Trainer, of Canada; A. Holland, of Montreal; Margaret Manley and two children, of Boston; B. Neville and G. Burns, of New-York; G. Hall, E. Simay, Joseph Mese and wife and two children, and Alfred Markham, of Montreal: J. Kane and wife and four children, of Portland; J. Scachman and wife and four children, of New-York; Hannah Jackson and three children, of Pittsburgh; J. Keeler, of N.Y.; W. Wardell, of London; J. Trimley and wife, and E. Boardman, of Portland; C. Somerville, of Canada; C. Carlow, of New-York; P. Murphy, of Boston; Mary Hoy, of Philadelphia; Mary Blowman, of Montreal; John Brown, of Canada; Dan Bryant, of Portland; Thomas Hughes and wife, of Portland; Esther Stephens and S. Tucker, of Boston, J. Short and wife, B. Holly Church, and Simpson Schuch, of New-York; Thomas Hempsey and two children, of Philadelphia; P. Mooney and wife and child, of Albany, David Greer, of Montreal; Michael Knife, Patrick Cooper, Owen Dunlevy, Morris Curran, Dennis Smith, and J. Wilson and wife, of New-York; Wm. Earl, of Montreal; W. Cornel, Andrew Wallace, Lucy and Maria Maxwell, of New-York; Ellen O'Connor, of Portland; Michael Kelly, Ann Burk and Stephen Donogh, of New-York; A. Farrel and wife and three children, of Cincinnati; P. Martin and wife and four children, M. Hughes, O. O'Neil, W. Braddock, W. Galorin, B. Ward, L. Walton and mother, P. Riley, R. Judge, J. Dolan, B. Corbett and child, of Boston; Isabel Quinn, of New-York; Rose Reeley, John Manmon, Kate Wynn, Thomas Fianney, wife and children, and Mary Lee, of Boston; Jane Sweney and John Lindsay, of New-York; P. Koron, Neal O'Niell, Bernard Keaney, wife and three children, and John Halley and wife, of New-York; Michael Connolly, Thomas Conovan, wife and three children, Mary Curran and John Curran and three children, Mary Curran and Eliza Curran, John Lane, wife and child; John Halley and Ellen Flaherty, of Boston; James and Pat. Cassidy and Pat. Canon, of New-York; Bernard Daly and wife, of Boston; Mary and Margaret Nolan and Mary Glenn, of New-York; P. Gorham and wife, John McKeer, Biddy McDonnell, Catharine Connolly, J. Mealy, wife and two children, and John and Wm. Connally, of Boston; John Ennis and two sons, Biddy Gorham, T. Connally, wife and child, and W. Moran, of New-York; Mary Keen and three children, John O'Neill, and child, and Eliza McKleves, of Boston; Hannah Connolly and two children, of Boston; Ann Norton, Sarah Kelley, Ann Robinson, Ann Mullen and child, Biddy Haggerty and four children, Margaret Kight, Michael McCabe and wife, of New-York; Mary Connigan and child, Mary Gonnan, Catherine Stone, Mary McDonough and two children, Rose Lynch and daughter, of Boston; John Lee, of Chicago; Owen and John Kane, of Boston; Ann Dolan, Mary Carlan, Pat. Pander, wife and two children, Margaret Hart and John Fitzgerald, of New-York; Thomas Connavon's infant died on the passage—making two hundred steerage passengers.

Capt. BORLAND arrived by a tugboat at 10 o'clock, and reports the ship to be in four fathoms of water off of Broad Cove, slightly heeled off; the main deck at low water is two feet under on one side, and at high water it is seven feet under. He thinks she will hold together if the weather is fair. The only way to get the cargo out is by divers and taking her into shoaler water by lifting her. The weather is thick and foggy. Three mail bags were saved. It is thought but few passengers are lost, except those in the swamped boat. Some of the firemen probably perished. The *Bohemian* was built in 1859, and was 2,190 gross tons burden. On the British Register she is classed A No 1.

From the statement of a passenger who came up in boat No. 5, I learn that he was standing on the deck at the time of the accident. The steamer passed the buoy and the passengers thought it was the pilot-boat. Immediately the steamer struck The boats were got out safely, with the exception of No. 2, which swamped. No. 5 took aboard all she could hold, including several who jumped into the water to them. Being unable to find a landing-place, she was rowed up the harbor. She contained mostly cabin passengers and some steerage passengers, whose names I do not learn, with the exception of a Mr. BROWN.

The mails saved were from Glasgow to New-York, from Glasgow to California, and one bag of papers for Boston. The Associated Press dispatches were not saved.

From JAMES SCOTT, the second officer, I learn that all the officers were on deck when the steamer struck. It was five minutes past 8 o'clock, and the watch was being changed. The ship struck on a rock, and went over. Orders were immediately given to clear away the boats, and soon the ship was headed for shore, but shortly afterward she sunk in four fathoms of water.

Boat No. 1, under the boatswain's mate, made two trips to the shore, saving in the first trip about eighty, and in the second trip about seventy.

Boat No. 2 swamped.

Boat No. 3, under charge of Mr. SCOTT, the second officer, landed about ninety-four in Broad Cove.

Boat No. 4, under charge of the first and second officers, landed twenty-five on the beach.

Boat No 5, in charge of the fourth officer, brought twenty-nine into Portland Harbor.

These numbers includes the officers and crew of the *Bohemian*.

The whole number of passengers on board was 218, and the number of the crew supposed to be 99.

It is estimated that the number of saved, in all the boats, is 298, leaving 19 to be accounted for.

The crew were nearly all saved.

The names of the officers of the *Bohemian* are as follows:

Robert Morland, master; Maxwell Franks, first officer; James Scott, second officer; Wm. Crawford, third officer; John C. Sargent, fourth officer; Wm. Jenkins, purser; Wm. McMaster, chief engineer; Thos. McMaster, second engineer; Mr. Barber, third engineer; George Gray, fourth engineer.

The lamp trimmer, PETER HART, and the engineer's storekeeper, name unknown, are supposed to be drowned.

All the remaining officers and crew are safe.

NAMES OF THE LOST.

PORTLAND, Tuesday, Feb. 23—Evening.

Nothing relative to the passengers can be obtained yet from the check list. Many of the saved have not yet come forward.

From reports of passengers I gather the following

LIST OF THE LOST:

Ellen O'Connor, aged 23, of Portland.

Pat Purcell, aged 26; his wife, 25; his child, Eliza B., and an infant, of New-York.

Patrick Cassidy, aged 25, and Jas. Cassidy, 17, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Barbary Canavan, 4 years, of Portland.

Gilbert Manley, 3 years; John Manley, 10: and Richard Annis, 18—all of New-York.

Ann Mullan, 18, and John Mullan, 7, of New-York.

Benjamin Hallichurch, 23, of New-York.

John Kane, 32, of Boston.

John Martin, 2, of Boston.

Honora Walton, of Boston.

This makes seventeen in all.

Mary Hoy, aged 29, of Philadelphia, is also reported lost.

Thirty-one have not reported, and five are saved whose names are not on the list, probably being misspelled and constituting a part of the above thirty-one, thus leaving twenty-six to report. Some may be at the Cape, too ill to come to the city, and some may be distributed about the city, in charitable hands.

RECOVERY OF MAIL BAGS.

A force of men has been engaged this afternoon in stripping the wreck. They have recovered 33 mail bags, as follows: Ten for Montreal, three for Hamilton, six for Toronto, one for Quebec, one for Kingston, four for Portland, three for Chicago, one for Detroit, two for Boston and two for New-York. The mails were all on deck, ready for delivery, and were washed about and overboard.

The steamer lays in the same position as this morning.

Our citizens have already raised for the sufferers over six hundred dollars, and have supplied them with all necessary articles of clothing. The Steamship Company have fed and housed the passengers, and will forward them to their destinations.

The following are some facts concerning the vessel and the line to which she belonged:

The *Bohemian*, belonging to the Montreal Ocean Steamship Company, ran between Liverpool and Portland in Winter, and Liverpool and Quebec in Summer, touching at Montreal during the latter season. She is the seventh vessel her owners have lost. Among them were the *Anglo-Saxon* and *North American*, and it is understood, also, the *North Briton*, the *Hungarian* and the *Indian*.

CAPT. BORLAND supposed himself four miles off from his real position. The haze probably misled him as to the true position of the lights. He had been looking for a pilot, and throwing up rockets and blue lights for half an hour, and was going at the rate of a mile and a half an hour when the vessel struck. Half an hour before he got soundings in forty fathoms of water, with a soft bottom.

Our citizens and city authorities are taking measures for the relief of the passengers as they come in from the Cape.

All assistance possible was rendered by the people at the Ocean House, and the residents in the vicinity.

The list of passengers is being checked as fast as the survivors of the disaster come in to ascertain who are among the lost.

As the survivors are scattered in all directions, the list is not yet completed.

The *Bohemian* is an iron vessel of two thousand two hundred tons burden, and is rated on LLOYD's list thus: "1*"—which means that in case of accident to her machinery, she had still the means of reaching port. She is bark-rigged, is about three hundred feet long, has a draft of twenty feet, and direct-acting engines of five hundred horse-power.

The vessel is nearly new, having been built at Dumbarton, on the Clyde, in 1859; and all the steamers of this line are Clyde built. As she had six water-tight compartments, it is held that the concussion which caused her to sink was so severe as to materially injure her frame, or that the rock on which she struck must have torn off a very large portion of her bottom, and exposed all or most of her bulkheads.

The value of the *Bohemian* is estimated to have been about three hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Previous to the loss of the *Anglo-Saxon* the Steamship Company did not insure their vessels; but it is believed the *Bohemian* is insured—probably in English companies.

The Montreal line comprises eight steamers, which were dispatched weekly from either side of the Atlantic. The *America* and another steamer, which are running instead of the *Anglo-Saxon* and *North American*, that were lost, are chartered; but the company, which also charters and runs the vessels of the Glasgow line, is building two new steamers. An extra one will, however, now be needed to take the place of the *Bohemian*.

Messrs. SABEL & SEARLES, the New-York City agents of the Montreal Company, are in Europe at the present time. No information about the disaster in addition to the facts already published has reached the house in this city.

Men of much experience in nautical matters think they recognize in the loss of the *Bohemian* a new illustration of the statement often made that the numerous accidents on board iron steamers are attributable, in some degree at least, to the failure of the compass to operate accurately on those vessels. It is not doubted, however, that the difficulty may be overcome.

Bids for the New Bounty Fund Loan.

Yesterday, Comptroller BRENNAN opened 42 bids for the new $2,000,000 Bounty Fund Loan. As this was the first competition invited for taking the Soldiers' Bounty Fund Loan, the "opening" excited considerable interest of capitalists. The following is a transcript of the bids, the rate offered, the awards made of the stock, which bears interest at the rate of six per cent., and is payable in annual installments of $500,000, beginning with Nov. 1, 1883:

Name.	Amount.	Rate.
United States Trust Co	$120,000	100.03
United States Trust Co	130,000	100 63
Atlantic Mutual Insurance Co	200,000	100 50
Chas. E. Ryder	100,000	103 00
Chas. E. Ryder	100,000	102 50
E. White	10,000	102 00
E. White	10,000	101 80
E. White	10,000	101 60
E. White	10,000	101.30
J. Surget	20,000	100 00
B. F. Wheelwright	100,000	100.08
B. F. Wheelwright	50,000	100.26
B. F. Wheelwright	50,000	100.52
B. F. Wheelwright	50,000	100.76
James S. Curry	50,000	102 00
James S. Curry	50,000	101.50
James S. Curry	50,000	101.00
James S. Curry	50,000	100.50
James S. Curry	300,000	100.00
Chas. P. Fay	50,000	103.50
Chas. P. Fay	50,000	105.25
J. S. Bowne	2,000	100.00
Allan Melville	5,000	105.50
C. B. Timpson	4,000	100.00
J. S. Lawrence	400	100.00
Wm. H. Hoople	20,000	100.00
Wm. H. Hoople	20,000	100.25
John Wyles	10,000	103.00
Geo. F. Odell	5,000	101.00
Broadway Savings Institution	50,000	103.50
Broadway Savings Institution	50,000	103.00
Howard Insurance Co	5,000	100.57
Howard Insurance Co	5,000	100.77
F. W. Lasak	8,000	101.00
H. C. Brown	1,500	100 00
E. L. Mix, Treasurer	1,000	100.00
E. F. Purdy, President	10,000	100.00
Lorillard Fire Insurance Co	30,000	101.00
Emigrant Industrial Sav'gs B'k	100,000	100.00
Emigrant Industrial Sav'gs B'k.	50,000	100.50
Emigrant Industrial Sav'gs B'k	50,000	101.00
Emigrant Industrial Sav'gs B'k.	20,000	103.05
H. C. Van Vorst	3,000	103 00
C. H. Shipman	10,000	100 00
Jno. Anderson	50,000	100 00
Leavenworth & Sanderson	1,500	105.00
Jas. Lenox	150,000	100.00
Wm. Redmond	7,000	107.00
McKim & Co., Baltimore	17,000	105 05
McKim & Co., Baltimore	17,000	101 05
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UNITED STATES BOUNTY to new recruits	302
UNITED STATES BOUNTY additional to veteran soldiers	100—$477
Total	$777

Applications to be made *personally* at the office of the Committee.

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TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF NEW-YORK.

FREDERICK S. WINSTON, President.

OFFICE, No. 94 BROADWAY.

Statement of the Affairs of the Company for the fiscal year ending Jan. 31, 1864:

Net cash assets Feb. 1, 1863			$8,913,052 94
RECEIPTS DURING YEAR.			
For Premiums, viz.:			
Originals	$279,023 13		
Renewals	1,100,708 79		
War extras	36,274 91		
Total Premiums	$1,416,006 83		
For Annuities	22,317 97		
For Interest	652,976 82—	2,091,301 62	
Total			$11,004,354 56
DISBURSEMENTS DURING YEAR.			
Paid Claims by Death	$444,028 00		
Paid Dividends additions to same	177,625 99		
Paid Reductions of Premium	7,099 45		
Paid Surrendered Policies	105,775 35		
Paid Annuities	12,187 38		
Paid Loss on Sales of Real Estate	7,775 23		
Paid Commissions	86,033 30		
Paid Taxes	20,846 33		
Paid Exchange, Postage and Advertising	14,753 93		
Paid Salaries and Medical Examinations	59,339 93		
Paid Law, Printing, Rent and Office Expenses	39,624 86—	975,089 75	
Net Cash Assets Feb. 1, 1864		$10,029,264 81	

INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

Cash on hand and in Bank	$828,449 67	
Bonds and Mortgages	4,409,754 30	
United States Stocks	4,370,262 50	
Real Estate	407,613 79	
Balance due from Agents	13,184 55	
		$10,029,264 81
Add,		
Interest accrued		$126,352 64
Premiums due, in course of transmission		29,058 74
Deferred semi-annual Premiums (say)		200,000 00
Gross Assets Feb. 1, 1864		$10,384,676 19
Increase in net Cash Assets during year		$1,116,211 87

POLICY ACCOUNT.

	Number.	Amount.
Issued during year	2,842	$8,594,175
In force Feb. 1, 1864	15,044	43,778,065
In force Feb. 1, 1863	12,981	37,391,490
Net Increase during year	2,063	6,386,575
Dividends Additions payable with Policies		$8,837,591

I have carefully examined the items contained in the foregoing statement, and certify the same to be correct.
(Signed) SHEPPARD HOMANS, Actuary.

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CHICAGO AND GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY, FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS, FOR $2,000,000.

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These bonds are secured by a first and only Mortgage on the property, income and franchises of the Railway Company, executed to Frederick Schuchardt and Henry Morgan, of the City of New-York, Trustees.

The remaining nine hundred thousand dollars of the Bonds are set apart and remain in the hands of the said Trustees, for the purpose of being exchanged for the indebtedness of the Chicago and Cincinnati Railroad Company, running from La Crosse to Logansport; this effected, the $2,000,000 will form a First and only Mortgage on a line of road 110 miles in length, extending from Chicago to Logansport, where it connects with the Cincinnati and Chicago Air-line Railroad, forming the shortest line by 40 miles, between Chicago and Cincinnati, and by 36 miles the shortest line between Louisville and Chicago.

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The interest on the Bonds maturing during the progress of the work has been provided for, and will remain on deposit with the Bankers of the Company, Messrs SCHUCHARDT & GEBHARD, No. 21 Nassau-st., to whom the Company refer for further particulars, and where subscription books for this loan have been opened.

W. D. JUDSON, President.
No. 37 WILLIAM-ST., NEW-YORK, Dec. 23, 1863.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE COLUMBIAN (MARINE) INSURANCE CO.,
CORNER OF WALL AND NASSAU STS.,
NEW-YORK, Jan. 29, 1864.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE COMPANY for the sixth fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1863:

Premiums on unexpired risks, Dec. 31, 1862	$249,998 17	
Premiums received from that date to Dec. 31, 1863	3,002,258 59	
Total amount of premiums		$3,252,256 76
Premiums marked off, as earned during the year, (less return premiums,) and interest received on investments		$2,362,842 02
Losses paid during the year	$1,021,150 50	
Reinsurances, expenses, State and Government taxes	204,628 19—	1,225,778 69
Excess of earned premiums over losses, &c.	$1,137,063 33	
Add undivided balance of Dec. 31, 1862	117 68—	1,137,181 01
Reserve for estimate claims unadjusted and other contingencies		441,206 49

In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the Company, the Board of Directors have resolved to apply the profits of the year as follows:

Profits to be divided	$695,974 52	
Cash dividend to dealers holding certificates of return, on premiums earned during the year and paid, payable on and after Feb. 10, 1864	269,614 80—	426,359 72
Deduct dividend already paid to Stockholders, being accrued interest, (free of Government tax,) on cash Capital		57,895 20
		$368,464 52
Deduct interest on Scrip issue of 1862, payable (free of Government tax) on and after March 10, 1864, being 6 per cent. on amount of such issue		1,747 20
		$366,717 32
Of this residue thirty per Cent. will be paid in cash to Stockholders on and after March 10, 1864, (free of Government tax,) as follows: On old stock 12 per Cent., and on new stock 10 per Cent		110,000 00
		$256,717 32
There will also be a Scrip Dividend, payable (free of Government tax) on and after June 1, 1864, on the cash capital, as follows: On old stock 7 per Cent., and on new stock 5 per Cent., making the total dividend for the year paid to Stockholders equal to 26 per cent.		
Payable in cash on and after March 10, 1864, (free of Government tax,) to Makers of Security Notes, being 4 per Cent. on amount of such notes		1,313 50
		$255,403 82
Payable in Scrip (free of Government tax,) on and after June 1, 1864, to Dealers on Earned Premiums on Risks terminating without loss, (estimated at $1,700,000,) 15 per cent		255,000 00
Undivided Balance		$403 82

The Company have the following Assets:

United States, New-York City and other Stocks	$330,375 00
Accrued Interest, Gold at market value, Salvages and other Securities	714,992 61
Cash in Banks and Loans on demand	651,517 81
Bills Receivable, and Premium Notes	1,413,670 94
Scrip of Insurance Companies, Balances due from Agents, and sundry claims due the Company	30,374 44
Total amount of Assets	$3,140,930 80

To the President and Board of Directors of the Columbian Insurance Company:

We hereby certify that we have compared the above statement with the Balance Sheet of the Company, and the Balance Sheet with its Books, and found them to conform.

We have also examined the Cash Bank Balance, Securities, Bills Receivable and other Assets, and found them to conform accurately with the above statement made by the Company.

EDWARD ROWE,
JOSEPH MORRISON,
ALBERT G. LEE,
DAN'L. W. TELLER. } Committee.

JAN. 29, 1864.

On and after 1st February, 1864, Dealers with this Company will be allowed the option (to be signified at the time of application for insurance) of receiving in lieu of scrip, at the end of each year, returns in cash, (guaranteed by certificate) of premiums paid and earned during the year, whether loss accrues or not, upon all new risks under the New-York form of policy, as follows:

1st. Upon all Voyage Risks upon Cargo, a return of twenty-five per cent.

2d. Upon Voyage Risks upon Freight, a return of twenty per cent.

3d. Upon Time Risks upon Freight, and upon Voyage and Time Risks upon Hulls, a return of ten per cent.

Such privilege, however, being confined to persons and firms, the aggregate of whose premiums upon such policies earned and paid during the year, shall amount to the sum of one hundred dollars.

DIRECTORS.

EDWARD ROWE,
DANIEL W. LORD,
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B. C. MORRIS, President.
THOS. LORD, Vice-President.
WM. M. WHITNEY, Second Vice-President and Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Jan. 26, 1864.

THE TRUSTEES, IN CONFORMITY TO the charter of the Company, submit the following statement of its affairs on the 31st December, 1863:

Premiums received on Marine Risks, from 1st January, 1863, to 31st December, 1863	$8,214,398 93
Premiums on Policies not marked off 1st January, 1863	1,790,602 24
Total amount of Marine Premiums	$10,005,001 17
No Policies have been issued upon Life Risks nor upon Fire Risks disconnected with Marine Risks.	
Premiums marked off from 1st January, 1863, to 31st December, 1863	$7,597,666 56
Losses paid during the same period	3,805,651 04
Returns of premiums and expenses	1,082,967 48
The Company has the following assets, viz.:	
United States and State of New-York Stock, City, Bank and other Stocks	$3,492,631 30
Loans secured by Stocks and otherwise	1,450,700 00
Real Estate and Bonds and Mortgages	193,760 00
Dividends on Stocks, interest on Bonds and Mortgages and other Loans, sundry Notes, reinsurance and other claims due the Company, estimated at	104,964 51
Premium Notes and Bills receivable	3,278,676 63
Cash in Bank	744,813 88
Total amount of Assets	$9,265,546 32

Six per cent. interest on the outstanding certificates of profits will be paid to the holders thereof, or their legal representatives, on and after TUESDAY, the 2d of February next.

After reserving three and one-half million dollars of profits, the outstanding certificates of the issue of 1862 will be redeemed and paid to the holders thereof, or their legal representatives, on and after Tuesday, the 2d of February next, from which date all interest thereon will cease. The certificates to be produced at the time of payment, and canceled.

A dividend of forty per cent. is declared on the net earned premiums of the Company, for the year ending 31st December, 1863, for which certificates will be issued on and after Tuesday, the 5th of April next.

The profits of the Company, ascertained from the 1st of July, 1842, to the 1st of January, 1863, for which certificates were issued, amount to	$14,328,880
Additional from 1st January, 1863, to 1st January, 1864	2,630,000
Total profits for 21½ years	$16,958,880
The certificates previous to 1862 have been redeemed by cash	11,690,210
Net earnings remaining with the Company on 1st January, 1864	$5,268,670

By order of the Board
W. TOWNSEND JONES, Secretary.

TRUSTEES.

John D. Jones,
Charles Dennis,
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FOURTH NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK, NOS. 27 and 29 PINE-ST.,
NEW-YORK, Feb. 22, 1864.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE remaining Fifty per cent. of the Capital Stock of this Bank will be required to be paid in as follows, viz.:

Twenty-five per cent. on Monday, 7th March proximo.
Twenty-five per cent on Thursday, 17th March proximo.

To those who desire to pay the fifty per cent. in full, interest will be allowed at the rate of six per centum per annum upon the last twenty-five per cent. from date of payment to its maturity.

The transfer books will close on the 6th proximo, and remain closed until the 18th.

GEORGE OPDYKE, President.

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$100,000.

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See large advertisement in *Journal of Commerce* and *Evening Post*.

NEW-YORK, Feb. 24, 1864.

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No. 39½ EXCHANGE-PLACE.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
PITTSBURGH, PA., Feb. 12, 1864.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK and Bond holders of this company, for the election of Directors, and such other business as may come before it, will be held at the office of said company, in the City of Pittsburgh, on the 3d WEDNESDAY of March, A. D. 1864, at 10 A. M. The Stock and Bond Transfer Books of the company at their office, in the City of Pittsburgh, and at their Transfer Agency in the City of New York, will be closed on the 1st day of March, at 3 o'clock P. M., and remain closed until the 17th day of March, thereafter.

W. H. BARNES, Secretary.

CHICAGO AND ALTON FIRST MORTGAGE SINKING FUND BONDS Nos. 441, 155, 368, 338, 17, 41, 73, 378, 458, 305, 550, 176, 519, 2 and 96 have been duly designated for payment according to the terms of the mortgage. Interest thereon will cease 1st May, 1864. The undersigned are ready to pay them with interest so far as accrued on presentation and surrender.

S. J. TILDEN, No. 12 Wall-st.,
L. H. MEYER, No. 48 Exchange-pl., } Trustees.

THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE, in sums to suit purchasers, $150,000 of the bonds of Richmond County. These bonds are issued for the purpose of recruiting, and are authorized by late acts of the Legislature. They bear seven per cent. interest, payable semi-annually; capitalists are invited to examine this investment, at the office of HENRY G. STEBBINS & SONS, No. 46 Exchange-place, where full information regarding the resources and indebtedness of the county will be given.

PETER S. WANDEL,
Treasurer Richmond County.

WANTED.—A FEW ERIE CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.
Erie Canal Bonds of Erie, Pennsylvania.
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MANHATTAN OIL COMPANY,
Office No. 16 Broadway.

STOCKHOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the annual election for nine Directors of the Company will be held at this office on WEDNESDAY, the 2d of March, proximo, from 12 to 2 o'clock P. M. Transfer books will be closed until after that date.

MOOR FALLS, Secretary.
NEW-YORK, Feb. 20, 1864.

ROME, WATERTOWN AND OGDENSBURGH R. R. CO.,
WATERTOWN, Feb. 20, 1864.

CHANGE OF TRANSFER AGENCY.—THE books for the transfer of the stock of this company in the City of New-York will henceforth be kept at the Mercantile Bank. D. H. ARNOLD, Esq., Transfer Agent. Bonds, coupons and dividends payable in New-York will also be paid at the Mercantile Bank.

R. E. HUNGERFORD, Treasurer.

ERIE RAILWAY COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Jan. 22, 1864.

NOTICE.—THE HOLDERS OF SUCH BONDS (known as the Second Mortgage Bonds) of the New-York and Erie Railroad Company as have not been extended for the term of twenty years from the date of their maturity, are hereby notified that from and after the 29th day of February next, interest will cease, and the principal sum due on all such bonds will be paid on their presentation at the office of the Erie Railway Company.

HORATIO N. OTIS, Secretary.

SARATOGA AND WHITEHALL RAILROAD GENERAL OFFICE,
SARATOGA SPRINGS, Feb. 17, 1864.

THE INTEREST DUE 1ST MARCH ON the bonds of this Company will be paid, less Government tax, on and after that date, on presentation at the Bank of State of New-York, New-York City.

WILLIAM H. WARREN, Treasurer.

NOTICE.—THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that Certificate No. 45,638, for one hundred shares of the capital stock of the New-York Central Railroad Company, is the property of the subscribers, and that the transfer of the same has been stopped. All persons are cautioned against purchasing or negotiating said certificate. J. N. PERKINS & CO., No. 50 Wall-st.

LOST—ILLINOIS CENTRAL CONST. BOND NO. 8,240 for $500. All persons are cautioned against negotiating it, as, if not found, application will be made for a new bond. Any information concerning it will be thankfully received and rewarded by A. G. HEMINWAY & CO., No. 53 Exchange-place, N. Y.

TO LOAN—$90,000 TRUST MONEYS, IN SUMS not less than $5,000, on improved property in New-York or Westchester County. No commission required. Apply to T. J. McKEE, No. 67 Wall-st.

DIVIDENDS.

59TH DIVIDEND.

BROOKLYN FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
NO. 18 WALL-ST.

CAPITAL	$153,000 00
SURPLUS	131,949 15
ASSETS	284,949 15
UNSETTLED LOSSES	350 00

The usual semi-annual Dividend of TEN (10) PER CENT, and the Government Tax (payable on demand) has THIS DAY been declared from the profits of the last six months.

FRANCIS P. FURNALD, President.
CHARLES BURKHALTER, Vice-President,
JOHN W. CHENEY, Secretary.
JANUARY 2, 1864.

NEW-YORK AND NEW-HAVEN RAILROAD CO.,
CORNER 4TH-AV. AND 27TH-ST.,
TREASURER'S OFFICE, Jan. 6, 1864.

A DIVIDEND OF THREE DOLLARS per share, free from Government Tax, has THIS DAY been declared on the capital stock of the Company, payable on and after MONDAY, the 15th day of February next.

The transfer books will be closed on the 30th inst., and reopened upon the morning of the 15th of February.

W. BEMENT, Treasurer.

NEW-YORK, Feb. 9, 1864.

THE CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD COMPANY having paid to us a dividend of three and a half dollars per share, (less Government tax,) on its preferred stock, which is at the credit of the preferred stockholders of said Company, the same will be paid to them or their legal representatives on or after the 25th of February.

G. S. ROBBINS & SON, No. 54 William-st.

OFFICE OF CHICAGO AND ALTON R. R. CO.
CHICAGO, Feb. 1, 1864.

OFFICE OF THE DELAWARE AND HUDSON CANAL CO.,
NEW-YORK, Feb. 1, 1864.

THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THIS Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of TEN PER CENT. (free from Government tax) out of the profits of the Company, payable on and after the 15th day of February inst., at the office of the Company, No. 29 William-st., corner of Exchange-place. The transfer books are now closed, and will remain closed until the morning of the 13th inst. By order of the Board.

ISAAC N. SEYMOUR, Treasurer.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the name and firm of PATTEE, YALE & MACFARLANE, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Either partner will sign the firm name in liquidation.

JAMES PATTEE,
PERRINE YALE,
JOHN M. MACFARLANE,
NEW-YORK, Feb. 1, 1864.

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have this day entered into copartnership, under the name and style of HUBBELL, YALE & MACFARLANE, as successors of the late firm of Pattee, Yale & Macfarlane.

GAYLORD B. HUBBELL,
PERRINE YALE,
JOHN M. MACFARLANE.
NEW-YORK, Feb. 1, 1864.

NEW-YORK, Feb. 1, 1864.

EDWARD B. KETCHUM, LYNDON M. SWAN and LANDON KETCHUM are this day admitted as copartners in our firm.

KETCHUM, SON & CO.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY formed a copartnership for the purpose of carrying on the stock commission business, under the firm name of C. D. TOWS & CO.

C. D. TOWS.
R. P. H. DURKEE.
NEW-YORK, Feb. 1, 1864.

MR. IRVING GRINNELL RETIRES from our firm this day.

GRINNELL, MINTURN & CO.
December 31, 1863.

INSURANCE.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—PERSONS CONTEMPLATING insuring their lives, and those already insured, should communicate immediately with the undersigned, and obtain information of great importance to them. Address A. ANDREWS, Box No. 5,583 Post-office, New-York.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR COLLEGES.—ON THURSDAY, 25th inst, public religious services will be held at 11 A. M., in the Large Chapel of the University, Washington-square. Rev. Mr. SMITH, of Bloomfield, N. J., is expected to preach. An address will also be delivered by Rev. Mr. DURYEA. The public are invited to attend.

AUCTION SALES

SCRANTON COAL AT AUCTION.

OFFICE OF THE DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY,
NEW-YORK, Feb. 12, 1864.

This company will hold their thirteenth regular monthly auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of February, 1864, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the office of the company, No. 35 William-st., at which time they will offer, by SIMEON DRAPER, Auctioneer,

TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND TONS OF FRESH MINED SCRANTON COAL,

embracing all the usual sizes, and deliverable at their depot, Elizabethport, N. J., during the month of March next.

The sale will be positive. Each lot put up will be sold to the highest bidder; no bids in any form whatever being made for account of or on behalf of the company.

Fifty cents per ton, in bankable funds, to be paid at the time and place of sale, and the balance in like funds on receiving the order for the coal, which must be called for within ten days thereafter, and the coal taken away within thirty days from the day of sale, unless navigation is obstructed. Buyers who wish, however, can have an additional thirty days for taking the delivery of their purchases, by making a further deposit of fifty cents per ton within the ten days above specified. Interest, at 7 per cent. per annum, will in such case be charged on the balance, from the time stipulated for payment until paid; and twenty-five cents per ton to cover the expense of stocking the coal—both to be paid on delivery of order.

The other conditions of sale will be substantially those hitherto accepted by all purchasers, by private contract, of coal deliverable at Elizabethport, so far as applicable. The coal will be delivered direct from the cars on their arrival from the mines, when practicable—otherwise from the stock. These conditions will be modified to meet the wants of ocean steamers, whose arrival cannot be definitely fixed.

JOHN BRISBIN, President.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, Auctioneer.

U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.

BY BURDETT, JONES & CO.

By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, I will sell at public auction, on the 4th day of March next, at 11 o'clock A. M. at the Union Stores, Brooklyn, the cargo of the prize steamer MARGARET & JESSIE, consisting of

Groceries,
Dry Goods,
Drugs and Medicines,
Hardware,
Boots and Shoes,
Leather, &c., &c.

R. MURRAY, U. S. Marshal.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY ON WALL, BROAD, PEARL, BAXTER, HOWARD, MOTT STREETS, AND FOURTH-AVENUE, NEW-YORK, AND ON RAYMOND, CHESTNUT AND MARKET STREETS, BROOKLYN.—E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY, March 2, 1864, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building:

BROAD AND WALL STS.—The very valuable lots of ground, with the buildings thereon, Nos. 3 and 5 Broad-st., running through to and forming an L on Wall-st., being together 40 feet 11½ inches on Broad-st., 4 feet 9 inches on Wall-st., 43 8 rear line, 41.3 southerly line.

PEARL-ST.—Two-story and attic brick house and lot No. 474 Pearl-st., 140 feet from Chatham-st., lot 27 feet front, 20 feet rear, and about 111 feet in depth.

BAXTER-ST.—The plot of ground with the front and rear buildings thereon, Nos. 10, 12, 12½ and 14 Baxter-st., near Chatham-st., being together 74 feet 6 inches on Baxter-st., 173 feet rear, 149 feet one side, 99 feet on the other.

HOWARD-ST.—The three-story and basement brick front and rear houses and lot No. 8 Howard-st., near Centre; lot 25.6 front and rear, about 111 feet 8 inches deep.

MOTT-ST.—The two-story and attic brick house and lot No. 305½ Mott-st., near Bleecker. House 15.2½ by 40, lot 15.2½ by 83.

FOURTH-AV.—Two lots east side, 56 feet south of 85th-st., each 25 by 80.

BROOKLYN.

RAYMOND-ST.—1 lot, with the frame building thereon, No. 13 Raymond-st., near Myrtle-av. Lot 25 by 100.

CHESTNUT AND MARKET STS.—10 lots running through and near Jamaica Turnpike, each 25 by 100 feet.

Book maps may be had at the office of the auctioneers, No. 8 Pine-st.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.

EXECUTORS' AND TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY ON WORTH-ST., CHATHAM-SQUARE, PEARL, MADISON AND MONROE STS.—E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction, on TUESDAY, March 1, 1864, at 12 o'clock, M., at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building, under the direction of John McLaughlin and Thomas Muldoon, Executors and Trustees under the will of Peter McLaughlin, deceased.

WORTH-ST.—The very valuable lot of ground, with the buildings thereon, No. 100 Worth-st., south side, 175 feet east of Broadway. Lot 25 by 80 feet.

PEARL-ST.—The valuable lot of ground, with the five-story brick building thereon, No. 472 Pearl-st., near Chatham. Lot 29 feet 6 inches front, 27 feet 6 inches rear, 112 feet 8 inches one side, and 109 feet 5 inches on the other.

MADISON-ST.—Two and a half-story brick dwelling-house and lot, No. 232 Madison-st., near Jefferson.

MONROE-ST.—The lot of ground, with the front and rear buildings thereon, No. 35 Monroe-st., near Market. Lot 25 by 108 feet.

Also, the lot of ground, with the front and rear buildings thereon, No. 123 Monroe-st., near Rutgers-st. Lot 26 feet 1 inch by 100 feet.

CHATHAM-ST.—The lease of the lot, with the four-story brick building thereon, No. 197 Chatham-st., between Oliver and Catharine sts. The lease is for 21 years, from May, 1858, with privileges of three renewals of 21 years each. Ground rent, $600 per annum, taxes and assessments. Lot 25 feet 4 inches front, 25 feet 1 inch rear, by 75 feet west side, 76 feet east side.

Maps, &c., may be seen at the office of the auctioneer, No. 3 Pine-st.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY SALE OF SIX VALUABLE LOTS OF LAND ON THE 3D-AV. AND 76TH-ST., TOGETHER WITH THE 5-STORY BRICK FACTORY THEREON, TO CLOSE A PARTNERSHIP.—In consequence of the death of Mr. J. H. BELTER, the surviving partners of the late firm of J. H. BELTER & CO. will sell at auction by ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO., on MONDAY, Feb. 29, 1864, at 12 o'clock M., at the Exchange salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, the factory and grounds belonging to said firm. The land comprises 2 lots, situate on the westerly side of 3d-av., 51 feet north of 76th-st., and 4 lots on the north side of 76th-st., adjoining the avenue lots on the rear. The improvements consist of two substantially-built 5-story brick buildings on the avenue, and a large two-story brick building on the street lots. The buildings are all erected in the most substantial manner of the best materials, floors of narrow Georgia pine, and with such improvements as long experience could suggest as being desirable in a large manufacturing establishment. There are also on the premises large outbuildings for workshops, stables, &c. The avenue lots are each 25 feet 6 inches by 100 feet; the street lots each 25 feet by 102 feet 2 inches. A 40-horse power steam-engine, entirely new, with boiler, shafting, &c., will be sold with the premises. Maps can be had at the office of the auctioneers, No. 5½ Pine-st.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.

E. H. LUDLOW & CO., WILL SELL at auction, on MONDAY, FEB. 29, 1864, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, by order William Lottimer, Esq., Executor of Estate of the late E. C. Large, deceased, dwelling houses in South Brooklyn.

DEGRAW-ST.—The three-story and basement high stoop brick house and lot, No. 296 Degraw-st., near Court; house 21.10x40 feet, lot half the block.

ALSO—The three-story and basement high stoop brown-stone houses and lots, Nos. 298, 300, 302 and 302½ Degraw-st., adjoining above houses. 19.3x40 feet. Lots half the block.

SACKETT-ST.—The three-story English basement brown-stone houses and lots, Nos. 291, 293, 293½, 295, 297, and 299 Sackett-st., between Court and Smith. Houses 16.8x56 feet, lots half the block.

CLINTON-ST.—Eight lots, west side, whole front, between Sackett and Union, each 25x90 feet.

For permits to see the houses apply to the auctioneers.

HENRY H. LEEDS & CO., Auctioneers.

VALUABLE PRIVATE COLLECTION OF OIL-PAINTINGS.—HENRY H. LEEDS & CO. will sell at auction, on THURSDAY, Feb. 25, at 11 o'clock, in our gallery, No. 23 Nassau-st., valuable private collection of ancient and modern oil-paintings, the gallery of a gentleman leaving the country, comprising the works of German, English, French and Flemish schools—Jos. Vernet, Horace Vernet, Latour, La Touveniere, Vallin, Le Grand, Dupuy, Knapp, Duffield, Coats, Meadows, Webb, Soldi, Benj. Fox, Chas. Galvani, Migthard, A. Mactheaux, Cavelhoe, G. Stemple, Titian, Raffaelle, Guercinio, Romanno, Correggio. The above collection are now on exhibition.

Also,

a valuable collection of oil-paintings, comprising the works of the well-known artist, W. G. Boardman.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

DESIRABLE DWELLING-HOUSE IN WAVERLY-PLACE AT AUCTION.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on Monday, March 7, 1864, at 12 o'clock M., at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, the two-story and attic brick dwelling-house and lot situate on the northerly side of Waverly-place, near Gay-st., and known as No. 149. The house is 22 feet in width, contains 13 rooms and all the modern improvements, marble mantels, hot and cold water throughout; bath and water-closet; is in excellent order, having recently been thoroughly repaired; has a covered stairway, connecting the second story with yard. Lot 22x62 feet 1 inch. Maps at the office of the Auctioneers, No. 5½ Pine-st.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

SALE OF VALUABLE LOTS ON FIFTH AND MADISON AVS. OPPOSITE CENTRAL PARK AND ON STREETS ADJACENT THERETO.—The undersigned will sell at public auction at the Exchange Sales room, No. 111 Broadway, by ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO., Auctioneers, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of February inst., at 12 o'clock, noon, unless previously disposed of at private sale, lots situate on the 5th and Madison avs. and on 69th, 70th, 72d, 73d, 74th sts. in the XIXth Ward of the City of New-York.

JAMES LENOX.

BUREAU OF ORDNANCE, NAVY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON CITY, Feb. 17, 1864.

SALE OF CONDEMNED NAVY CANNON.

Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of March next, at 12 o'clock M., there will be sold, at public auction, at the Navy-yard, Brooklyn, New-York, one hundred and six (106) 32-pounders of 61 cwt.

These guns are to be sold by the pound, and one-half the purchase money is to be paid at the completion of the sale, and the other half upon the removal of the guns by the purchaser, which removal must take place within ten days after the sale, and at the expense of said purchaser.

H. A. WISE, Chief of Bureau.

HENRY D. MINER, Auctioneer—Salesroom No. 37 Nassau-st., opposite the Post-office.

U. S. QUARTERMASTER'S SALE OF CONDEMNED GOODS.—MINER & SOMERVILLE will sell at auction, on FRIDAY, Feb. 26, at 12 o'clock M., at No. 199 Wooster-st., at Cornell & Watson's warehouse, a quantity of condemned goods, consisting of tents, knapsacks, rubber blankets, scales, stoves, old iron, iron and lead pipe, hydrant, &c.

By order of U. S. Quartermaster.

JAMES M. MILLER, Auctioneer.

BY JAMES M. MILLER—THURSDAY, FEB. 25, 1864, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway:

No. 41 BOND-ST.—The three-story brick dwelling-house, with all the modern improvements. Maps and particulars at the office.

A. JOURNEAY, AUCTION AND COMMISSION, No. 8 Pine-st., New-York. Real Estate, Stocks, Bonds, &c., at public and private sale; houses and stores rented; sales of furniture at residences and out-door sales.

AUCTION SALES.

R. T. HAZELL, Auctioneer.

BY WHITTEMORE & HAZELL.

Store No. 62 Liberty-st.
IMPORTANT POSITIVE SALE OF OVER $80,000 WORTH OF HARDWARE,
On WEDNESDAY, Feb. 24,
At No. 5 PLATT-ST.,

by order of Messrs. C. W. Scofield & Co., who are declining the Hardware branch of their business,

THE ENTIRE STOCK OF
HEAVY AND SHELF
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY

contained in their store, comprising a large and general assortment of desirable goods, worthy the attention of the trade. Catalogues on Friday, 19th inst., at our office.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY TRUSTEES' SALE OF houses and lots on Greenwich, East 9th, East 11th, East 14th sts. and Lexington-av., New-York; also, on Hanover-place, Hoyt-st., and corner of Lafayette-st. and Hudson-av., Brooklyn.—ALBERT H. NICOLAY will sell at public auction, by order of trustees, TUESDAY, March 1, 1864, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 117 Broadway, the following real estate:

No. 815 GREENWICH-ST.—The four-story and basement brick house and lot, known as No. 815 Greenwich-st., east side, between Jane and Horatio sts. Lot 25 front by by 22 feet 6 inches in the rear, by 68 feet deep. House 25 by 40 feet. $3,000 of the purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage for four years from April, 1864, at 7 per cent. interest.

No. 817 GREENWICH-ST.—The four-story and basement brick house and lot known as No. 817 Greenwich-st., east side, between Jane and Horatio sts.; lot 25 by 96 feet; house 25 by 40 feet 2 inches. $5,000 of the purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage at 7 per cent. per annum, as long as the interest is promptly paid.

No. 261 EAST FOURTEENTH-ST.—The six story brick house and lot known as No. 261 East 14th-st., north side, between Avenues A and B, lot 25 feet by 103 feet 2 in., house 25 by 55 feet 6 in. $3,000 of the purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage at 7 per cent., as long as the interest is paid.

No. 143 EAST ELEVENTH-ST.—The five-story brick house and lot known as No. 143 East 11th-st., south side, between 1st-av. and Avenue A; lot 25 by 94 feet 10 in., house 25 by 55 feet 6 in. $3,000 of the purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage at 7 per cent. per annum, as long as the interest is promptly paid.

No. 235 EAST NINTH-ST.—The four-story brick house and lot known as No. 325 East 9th-st., south side, between Avenues B and C, lot 20x76 ft. House 20x40 ft. 2. $2,500 of the purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage at 7 per cent. per annum as long as the interest is promptly paid.

LEXINGTON-AV.—The three-story brick house and lot on the west side of Lexington-av., within 75 ft. 5 of 57th-st. Lot 25x90 ft. House 18 ft. 11x32 ft. 1.

ALSO, Two LOTS—Adjoining the above, on the north side, 25x90 ft. each. $2,900 of the purchase money can remain on the house and three lots, at 7 per cent. per annum, for three years from May, 1864.

No. 22 HANOVER-PLACE, BROOKLYN.—The two story and basement frame house and lot known as No. 22 Hanover-place, south side, between Livingston-st. and Fulton-av. Lot 20 by 100 feet; house 20 by 32 feet 4 inches; water, gas and heater in the house. $2,500 of the purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage at 7 per cent. per annum as long as the interest is promptly paid.

No. 80 HOYT-ST., BROOKLYN.—The three-story brick house and lot known as No. 80 Hoyt-st., between Bergen and Wyckoff sts. Lot 20 by 80 feet; house 20 by 38 feet 2 inches—containing gas, &c. $2,200 of the purchase money can remain on bond and mortgage at 7 per cent. as long as the interest is promptly paid.

CORNER OF LAFAYETTE-ST. AND HUDSON-AV., BROOKLYN.—Four three-story brick houses and lots fronting on Lafayette-st., northeast corner of Hudson-av. Lots about 20x50 feet; houses about 20x30 feet 4. The corner is occupied as a store; $2,000 of the purchase money now on mortgage upon the whole is due, but can remain at 7 per cent. per annum as long as the interest is promptly paid.

The attention of capitalists and others seeking investments is called to this sale, as all the above property is to be sold without reserve to the highest bidders, (by order of Trustees, to relieve them from the trust conferred upon them,) which offers unusual inducements to purchasers of real estate.

Terms of sale will be made known at the time and place of sale. The titles are indisputable. For lithographic maps and full particulars, apply to

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer and Stock Broker, No. 52 William-st., N. Y.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE real estate, on 10th-av., 42d, 43d and 44th sts., by order of GEO. W. WRIGHT, Esq., Executor. A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO. will sell at auction, on WEDNESDAY, Feb. 24, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales room, No. 111 Broadway:

10TH-AV.—8 lots, on the east side, between 43d and 44th sts., each 25x100 (including 2 corners.)

10TH-AV.—1 lot, on east side, between 44th and 45th sts. Size 25x100.

42D-ST.—14 lots, on north side of 42d-st., 100 feet west of 9th-av., each 25x100.4, (42d-st. is 100 feet wide.)

43D-ST.—6 lots, on north side, commencing 150 feet east of 10th-av. Size 25x100.4 each.

44TH-ST.—4 lots, on south side of 44th-st., commencing 100 feet east of 10th-av. Title perfect.

For maps, &c., apply to the Auctioneers, No. 77 Cedar-st., or to WRIGHT & MERRIHEW, No. 52 Wall-st.

Also,

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTOR.

The first-class 4-story English basement brown-stone front house and lot No. 228 West 32d-st., Boorman-place, on the south side, about midway between 8th and 9th avs. Lot 16.8 by half a block; house 16.8x55, and in perfect order. Has all the modern improvements. The neighborhood on both sides of the street is built up of first-class houses.

ALSO,

by order of the executor,

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT BRIDGEPORT, CONN.

A plot of ground at Bridgeport, Conn., late the estate of Thaddeus Hubbell, deceased, situate adjoining the Sterling Hotel on the north, on the corner of Main and Cannon sts., opposite the Connecticut Bank, at the head of Wall-st., containing more than 75 feet by upward of 200 (about quarter of an acre,) with the double-brick mansion thereon. This property is considered the most valuable plot in the City of Bridgeport for business purposes, and admirably adapted for a National Bank.

For maps, terms, &c., apply to the auctioneers, No. 77 Cedar-st., N. Y., or to THADDEUS H. LANE, Esq., attorney and counsellor, No. 132 Broadway, N. Y.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.

POSITIVE SALE OF SEVENTY-FIVE VALUABLE LOTS AND GORES

on Kingsbridge and Bloomingdale roads, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, and 158th sts., to close a concern, by order of George H. Peck, Esq.—A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., will sell at auction, on THURSDAY, Feb. 25, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway—

144TH-ST.—3 gores on south side, commencing east side of Kingsbridge-road.

144TH ST.—3 lots on north side, 87 feet east of Kingsbridge-road.

KINGSBRIDGE-ROAD—The entire front on east side, between 144th and 145th sts., 8 lots.

145TH-ST.—6 lots and 1 gore on south side, commencing 100 feet east of Kingsbridge-road.

145TH-ST.—8 lots and 1 gore on north side, commencing 78 feet east of Kingsbridge-road.

KINGSBRIDGE-ROAD—8 lots on east side, being the entire front between 145th and 146th sts.

146TH-ST.—9 lots and 1 gore on south side, commencing 120 feet east of Kingsbridge-road.

KINGSBRIDGE-ROAD—8 lots on the east side, being the entire front between 147th and 148th sts.

149TH-ST.—4 lots on south side, commencing about 120 feet east of Kingsbridge-road.

KINGSBRIDGE-ROAD—4 lots, with right of way, commencing on south side of 149th-st.

KINGSBRIDGE-ROAD—8 lots, running through from 149th to 150th sts.

BLOOMINGDALE-ROAD—3 lots on east side, between 157th and 158th sts. The title to the above is indisputable.

For lithographs, maps, &c., apply to the auctioneers, No. 77 Cedar-st., adjoining the Bank of Commerce.

G. W. KELSEY, Auctioneer.

G. W. KELSEY WILL SELL AT PUBLIC auction, on WEDNESDAY, Feb. 24, 1864, at 12 o'clock, from the Brooklyn City salesrooms, at No. 44 South 7th-st., Brooklyn, E. D., several pieces of valuable improved property, situated as follows, viz.: The two-story colonade house and 3 lots No. 462 Grand-st.; the three-story and basement brick house South 3d-st., third house west of 10th-st.; the three-story brick house, with two-story frame adjoining, and two-story foundry on rear of Nos. 228 and 230 1st-st.; the three-story brick house No. 309 Grand-st., known as Masonic Hall; the two-story attic and high basement frame house No. 4 Sandford-st.; a two-story cottage on rear of lot No. 266 South 6th-st.; the 3 frame houses on the corner of Union-av. and Conselyea-st.; and the 2 full lots on Ainsley-st., between Ewen and Graham-av. Also the three-story (store front) frame house No. 93 South 6th-st., near 5th-st. Terms liberal, and made known on day of sale.

For full particulars, maps, &c., apply to GEORGE W. KELSEY, at the Brooklyn City salesrooms, No 44 South 7th-st.

JAMES M. MILLER, Auctioneer, Merchants' Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, Feb. 25.

THE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY, NO. 169 Christopher-st., near the Hoboken Ferry, consisting of two-story and attic front house, with store, and a rear frame dwelling, with 21 years' lease of lot from Aug. 1, 1850, at a ground-rent of $175. The rents amount to $444 for the premises.

ALSO, the 21 years' lease from May 1, 1852, of brick house No. 123 Amity st., at the rent of $300; size of lot 23 by 100 with alley to rear, with the right to purchase the fee simple any time before Feb. 1, 1866, for $5,000—a good opportunity to build on the rear.

A. H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY ON CANAL AND DIVISION STS.—ADRIAN H. MULLER will sell at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, on FRIDAY, Feb. 26, at 12 o'clock: The large four-story basement and sub-cellar brick house, No. 3 Canal-st., facing on East Broadway, with lease of lot; house has gas, bath, water-closets and water throughout. Also the two small two-story brick houses in rear of above, Nos. 167 and 167½ Division-st., with lease of lot.

Maps at the office of the Auctioneers, No. 5½ Pine-st.

ELLIS L. PRICE, Executor of THOMSON PRICE.

PROPERTY ON BROOKLYN HEIGHTS—At auction, by ADRIAN H. MULLER & CO., at No. 111 Broadway, on MONDAY, 29th of February. The five modern dwelling-houses on the corner of Middagh and Columbia streets. They have gas and fixtures, range, heater, wash-tub, bath and water closets; within 20 minutes of Wall-st. and 12 of Fulton Market. The tenants and neighborhood are first class. They now rent for $400 and $450.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.

HANDSOME ENGLISH BASEMENT HOUSE ON 38TH-ST.

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THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN will meet every day next week, at one o'clock P. M., on MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, the twenty-second, twenty-third, twenty-fourth, twenty-fifth, twenty-sixth and twenty-seventh instant, in Room number eight City Hall.

All persons interested are respectfully requested to be present without further notice from the Committee.

LEWIS R. RYERS,
J. D. OTTIWELL,
PETER MASTERSON, } Committee on Finance.
FEB. 19, 1864.

THE COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL AFFAIRS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL will meet every day, during the present week, in the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of making arrangements to receive the regiments returning on furlough, for the purpose of recruiting. Also, to make suitable arrangements to give those already arrived, and about to depart for the seat of war, an entertainment. Commandants of regiments now home on furlough, whose term is about to expire, are requested to communicate with the committee, by letter addressed to the Chairman or Secretary of the committee, No. 8 City Hall.

JOHN HARDY Chairman.
E. W. TAYLOR, Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE. — DEPARTMENT of Finance, City of New-York, Office of the Clerk of Arrears.—Public notice is hereby given to the owners, mortgagees or persons otherwise interested in the lands and tenements sold for unpaid assessments during the month of October, 1863, that the detailed statement of property still unredeemed from said sale is published in the New-York *Commercial Advertiser*, a daily newspaper printed and published in the City of New-York. Copies can be had on application at this office. By order of the Comptroller.

AUGUSTUS PURDY, Clerk of Arrears.

THE COMMITTEE ON FERRIES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN will meet on WEDNESDAY next, the 24th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room No. 8 City Hall. All parties interested are respectfully requested to attend.

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SATURDAY, 26th of March.

Passage money to Nassau	$45
Passage money to Havana	50

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No freight received on day before sailing.
For freight or passage, apply to
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FOR NEW-ORLEANS VIA HAVANA.

To sail on
SATURDAY, March 5, at 3 o'clock P. M.
The U. S. M. sidewheel steamship,
EVENING STAR,
WM. R. BELL, Commander,
will sail as above from Pier No. 46, foot of King-st., North River.
For freight or passage apply to
JAMES A. RAYNOR,
No. 181 Broadway.
P. S.—The MORNING STAR will follow, and sail on SATURDAY, March 19, 1864.

ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP CHINA—FOR LIVERPOOL.—The *China*—Anderson, Commander, will sail from the Company's Dock, at Jersey City, with the Mail and Passengers for Europe, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th inst. Passengers are requested to be on board by half past 8 o'clock A. M. The *Asia* will sail on the 9th March. E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling Green.

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THOMAS R. AGNEW, WHO IS FAMED for his energy and enterprise as the grocer and tea and coffee dealer of this City, has just opened an extensive wholesale department of his business at No. 262 Greenwich-st., right adjoining his retail store. Both these extensive establishments will be conducted exclusively on the cash principle, and everybody who wishes to save money and buy for cash, either wholesale or retail, every description of teas, sugars, flour, fish, syrups, molasses, butter, cheese, lard, hams, coffees, starch, soap, &c., &c., &c., should at once repair as above. All goods warranted as represented, or money returned and expenses paid. Mr. Agnew's experience and large cash capital, which he can control to the extent of half a million of dollars, will enable him to compete successfully with any house or houses in New-York, and we predict that this new wholesale department will be a complete success, as his other store has been, and still continues to be.

All orders from the country should be accompanied with the cash, or paid for by some house in the City.

All goods delivered free to railroads and steamboats. Address Nos. 260 and 262 Greenwich-st., and Nos. 87 and 89 Murray-st.

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BOARD IN BROOKLYN—FOR A SINGLE gentleman—with breakfast and tea and dinner on Sabbath—with a private family; having a large chamber and closet, well furnished, with gas, baths, &c.; convenient to Wall-st. Ferry. Address C., Box No. 1,455 New-York Post-office, with real name and place of business.

WANTED—BY A SINGLE GENTLEMAN UNTIL 1st of May, a room and bedroom, furnished or furnished with carpets only, with or without breakfast, between 14th and 23d sts., and 4th and 6th avs. Address Box No. 3,150 Post-office.

COUNTRY BOARD AT YONKERS OR VICINITY wanted, for six months, from 1st of May, for three gentlemen and wives and two single gentlemen. Address, with particulars, F., Box No. 4,630 New-York Post-office.

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AMUSEMENTS.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.

Lessee and Directress.......................Mrs. John Wood
Stage Manager..............................J. H. Selwyn

MRS. JOHN WOOD
begs respectfully, yet earnestly, to call attention to the announcement that the entertainments for
THIS EVENING, WEDNESDAY, Feb. 24,
will be given for
THE BENEFIT
OF THE
SANITARY COMMISSION,
AND
the entire receipts donated to
THAT INSTITUTION,
and trusts the programme selected for this occasion will meet with the approbation and support of all desirous of aiding this
PATRIOTIC BENEFACTION.
The performances will commence with the comic drama in three acts, entitled the
PRIDE OF THE MARKET,
in which
MRS. JOHN WOOD
appears in her celebrated character of
MARTON GIROJLE, LA BOQUETIERE.
MR. FRANK DREW
AS ISIDORE FARINE.

Marquis de Volange........................Mr. J. K. Mortimer
Baron Troptard..............................Mr. J. H. Stoddart
Mlle. Volange..................................Mrs. Sloan
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Concluding with the extravagant burlesque,
ILL TREATED ILL TROVATORE,
WITH

MRS. JOHN WOOD	as	MANRICO
MR. FRANK DREW	as	AZUCENA
MR. W. DAVIDGE	as	COUNT DE LUNA
MRS. S. BROWN	as	LEONORA
MISS A. HARRIS	as	INEZ

TO-MORROW EVENING, THURSDAY, FEB. 25,
will be produced
AN ORIGINAL ADAPTATION,
BY
AUGUSTIN DALY AND FRANK WOOD,
entitled
TAMING A BUTTERFLY.
Doors open at 7; performances commence at 7¾.
Seats secured three days in advance.

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AND EGYPTIAN CARAVAN.
HYATT FROST.......................................Manager.
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of this Mammoth Zoological Enterprise, which is unequaled by any exhibition of
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are not to be found in the Zoological Gardens of either
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THREE GRAND PERFORMANCES EVERY DAY,
STRICTLY MORAL AND REFINED.

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Sings "Thou art so Near and yet so Far," and "Dear Mother, I've Come Home to Die," THIS EVENING, at IRVING HALL.

HOWE'S GREAT CIRCUS,

Nos. 199 and 201 Bowery,
EVERY EVENING during the week, will be presented
NEW ATTRACTIONS.
FIRST WEEK OF MR. E. H. ROSSTON,
late with DAN RICE'S great show,
First week of Mr. DEN STONE,
the people's Clown.
First week of Mr. WM. YOUNG,
the wonderful Gymnast.
AN ENTIRELY NEW PROGRAMME
will be offered, introducing the best array of
EQUESTRIAN TALENT
ever brought together in this City.
MLLE. MARIETTA RAVEL
and
MR. JOHN DENIER,
in New and Brilliant Acts.
Admission, 25 cents. Reserved seats, 50 cents. Children, 15 cents.
WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY AFTERNOONS,
Matinee for Families at 2½.

MISS MINA GEARY

Sings "The Beating of My Own Heart" and "Tripping Down the Lane," THIS EVENING, at IRVING HALL.

NIBLO'S SALOON—GOTTSCHALK.

The public are respectfully informed that Mr. L. M. GOTTSCHALK will give the second of his series of
FAREWELL CONCERTS,
prior to his departure for Europe, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, Feb. 24, when the celebrated Prima Donna Contralto, Mme. ELENA D'ANGRI; Mlle. BARNATCHE, Pianist; GEORGE SIMPSON, Tenor; CARLO PATTI, Violinist, will assist Mr. GOTTSCHALK.
Conductors..............Sig. ABELLA and S. BEHRENS.
Admission, including reserved seats, $1. Seats may be secured at Messrs. Beer & Schirmer's, No. 701 Broadway; Hall & Son's, No. 543 Broadway, and Sibell & Salisbury's, No. 7 Nassau-st.
Doors open at 7½; Concert to commence at 8 o'clock.

THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE NATIONAL Freedmen's Relief Association will be held at Cooper Institute, on the evening of THURSDAY, the 25th inst., at 7½ o'clock. William Cullen Bryant, Esq., will preside. Rev. Stephen H. Tyng, D.D., Rev. Henry Ward Beecher and William Allen Butler, Esq., will address the meeting. The questions involved in the condition and destiny of the emancipated negro, so vitally interwoven with our national interests and existence, will be the prominent subjects of discussion. The interesting group of white slave children, sent North by Gen. Banks, will be present.

THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS—PAINTED BY ALBERT BIERSTADT—Is now on exhibition at the Crayon Art Gallery, No. 756 Broadway, corner of 8th-st.

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Leave New-York, at James-slip Ferry and 34th-st. Ferry, at 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 7¼.
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N. B.—On TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, a special night train leaves Flushing at 11 P. M., and from 34th-st. Ferry at 12 P. M.

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Express, 7 and 10 A. M., and 3:15 and 5 P. M.	7:22, 10:27 A. M., and 3:37 and 5:22 P. M.
Troy and Albany, (with sleeping car,) 10:40 P. M.	11:04 P. M.

On SUNDAYS, at 5:22 P. M., from 30th-st.
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LONG ISLAND RAILROAD—WINTER ARRANGEMENT, commencing Nov. 12, 1863.—Leave James-slip and 34th-st., East River, at 9 A. M., and on FRIDAYS and SATURDAYS at 4 P. M. Also, for Greenport, Sag Harbor, Hamptons, &c., stopping at all stations. For Islip, at 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. For Syosset, at 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. For Jamaica and Hempstead, at 9 and 11 A. M., and 4 and 5 P. M.
Sunday excursion trains to Islip, at 9:15 A. M., from 34th-st., stopping at all stations.
Fare for this train at excursion rates.
For Syosset, (on Sundays,) at 5:45 P. M., stopping at all stations. A. REASONER, Superintendent.

ERIE RAILWAY.—PASSENGER TRAINS leave from foot of Chambers-st.
7 A. M.—Express for Buffalo.
8:30 A. M.—Milk, daily, for Otisville.
10 A. M.—Mail, for Buffalo and intermediate stations.
4:15 P. M.—Way, for Port Jervis and Newburgh.
5 P. M.—Night Express, daily, for Dunkirk, Buffalo, Rochester, Canandaigua, &c. The train of Saturday runs through to Buffalo, but does not run to Dunkirk.
CHAS. MINOT, General Superintendent.

RARITAN AND DELAWARE BAY RAILROAD.—The steamboat J. D. BEERS will leave the wharf foot of Murray-st. EVERY AFTERNOON, (except Sundays,) at 4 o'clock, connecting at Port Monmouth with trains for Middletown, Red Bank, Long Branch, Shark River, Farmingdale, Tom's River and intermediate stations. Returning, leave Manchester at 6:40 A. M., and Long Branch at 7:25 A. M., arriving in New-York at 10:15 A. M. A freight train, with passenger car attached, leaves Port Monmouth every morning for Camden. Freight received foot of Murray-st. till 3:30 P. M. B. S. SEYMOUR, General Superintendent.

NEW-YORK, HARLEM AND ALBANY RAILROAD.—For Albany, Troy, North and West, leave 26th-st depot at 10 A. M. and 4:25 P. M. Sunday train, 4:25 P. M.

NORTHERN R. R. OF NEW-JERSEY.—Trains leave Jersey City for Piermont at 9:15 A. M., 12:35 P. M., 4:25 P. M., 6:05 P. M., and on Mondays at 5:30 A. M. The 9:15 and 4:25 run through to Monsey.
THOS. W. DEMAREST, Sup't.

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THOMAS CHRISTY, President.
R. H. BULL Secretary.

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Lessee and Manager.........................WM. WHEATLEY.
TRIUMPHANT REPRODUCTION and
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of John Brougham's grand romantic drama,
THE
DUKE'S
MOTTO,
Mr. WHEATLEY in his original character of
CAPT. HENRI DE LAGARDERE.
ONLY FOUR NIGHTS MORE OF THIS
CELEBRATED PLAY,
Which for
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NIGHTLY THIS VAST ESTABLISHMENT,
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THE SCENERY,
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MOST COSTLY AND GORGEOUS DESCRIPTION,
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under the direction of Signor Ronzani, is complete, and comprised of
FIRST-CLASS ARTISTES.
WEDNESDAY EVENING, Feb. 24, 1864, will be performed for
POSITIVELY THE LAST TIME BUT THREE,
the New Romantic Drama, in three acts and a prologue, entitled
THE DUKE'S MOTTO,
BY
JOHN BROUGHAM.
CAPT. HENRI DE LAGARDERE....Mr. WHEATLEY
(His original character.)
The cast will comprise the following popular artists: Mr. J. G. Burnett, Mr. J. Nunan, Mr. B. T. Ringgold, Mr. J. W. Collier, Mr. J. Seymour, Mr. T. B. Holmes, Mr. J. W. Blaisdell, Miss Mary Wells, Miss Ada Clifton, Mrs. Skerrett, &c., &c., &c.
The manager has much pleasure in announcing to the public that he has effected an engagement, for a limited period, with the very popular and celebrated prima donna,
MISS CAROLINE RICHINGS
AND HER
OPERA TROUPE.
Adolphe Adams' famous comic opera, entitled
THE POSTILLION OF LONJUMEAU,
is selected for the debut of this highly successful combination, which takes place on
MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 29.
Box Book open six days in advance.

WALLACK'S. WEDNESDAY.

Doors open at 7½; Overture commences at 8¼; Curtain rises at its conclusion. The performance will terminate close on to 11 o'clock.
NINETY-FOURTH NIGHT OF
ROSEDALE,
IN WHICH
MR. LESTER WALLACK, MR. GILBERT, MR. FISHER, MR. HOLLAND, MR. JOHN SEFTON, MR. DALY, MR. BROWNE, MR. PARKES, MR. POPE, MRS. HOEY, MISS GANNON, MISS MORANT, MRS. VERNON, MRS. JOHN SEFTON, MISS BARRETT, MISS LE BRUN AND MISS CARMAN will sustain their original characters.
Thursday, seventh time, PURE GOLD.
Friday, ninety-fifth time, ROSEDALE.
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MR. LESTER WALLACK'S BENEFIT,
First time this season, Sheridan's Comedy, the
SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL,
Will be produced with appropriate scenery, beautiful appointments and complete costumes.
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Prof. CHARLES DROWNE, Director, Troy, N.Y.

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MEETINGS.

TO THE MEMBERS OF HANCOCK LODGE No. 49, I. O. O. F.—You are hereby notified to meet at the Lodge Room, Odd Fellows' Hall, on WEDNESDAY NOON, Feb. 24, at 12 o'clock precisely, for the purpose of paying the last tribute of respect to our late worthy brother JOHN WALKER. By order of the N. G.
BURNET CRAKOW, Secretary.

NOTICE TO BARBERS AND HAIR-DRESSERS.—A meeting will be held on FRIDAY, the 26th inst., at 9 o'clock P. M., at No. 426 Broome-st., near Crosby, for the purpose of raising and uniforming the prices of first-class establishments. By order of
THE COMMITTEE.

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It has been played the last two days
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☞ The scenery is magnificent, the plot full of romance and startling incident, and the music enchanting. It will be played
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Mr. HARRISON,
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THE FOUR ENORMOUS GIANTS,
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They are visible at all hours, as are also
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The WHAT IS IT? or, MAN MONKEY.
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THREE GROUPS OF MOVING WAX FIGURES.
Wax Figures of Queen Victoria, Prince and Princess of Wales, Gen. Tom Thumb and Wife, Com. Nutt and Minnie Warren, in their Wedding Costume, which they wore at the General's Marriage, Feb. 10, 1863.
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the great dragon of the East, and
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BRILLIANT AND UNPARALLELED SUCCESS
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FAIRS.

TO THE WHOLESALE DRY GOODS MERCHANTS OF NEW-YORK.

METROPOLITAN FAIR.
NEW-YORK, Feb. 10, 1864.

The undersigned have been appointed a committee to represent the Wholesale Dry Goods Merchants in the Metropolitan Fair, to commence in this City on the 28th of March next. It will be held under the management of the Ladies of the City, who will be aided by an Advisory Committee of Gentlemen. Its object is to supply funds to the United States Sanitary Commission.

The services of this commission have been recognized throughout the entire army as in the highest degree beneficial. Every battle-field has been the witness of their noble, merciful and successful labors—imparting to the sick and wounded help, comfort and hope; and to those in arms, confidence and courage. All who are enabled to pursue their avocations in ease and safety at home cannot do less than provide for the sufferings of the brave soldiers who expose themselves to sickness, wounds and death, to maintain the unity and promote the welfare of their country.

Contributions for this purpose are requested in money or merchandise. If in money, it may be sent to either of the committee; if in merchandise, to the Receiving Depot, No. 2 Great Jones-st.

The magnitude of the wholesale dry goods interest—comprising the domestic and foreign commission houses, importers and jobbers—calls for a corresponding contribution to this object of benevolence and duty, such as will not only compare favorably with the results of fairs held successfully in other places, and with the contributions of other interests in the City, but also be esteemed worthy of the liberality and patriotism of the commercial Metropolis of the country.

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METROPOLITAN FAIR

IN AID OF
THE UNITED STATES SANITARY COMMISSION.
The Dramatic Committee of the Metropolitan Fair have the pleasure of announcing that
MRS. JOHN WOOD
has proffered a full benefit at
THE OLYMPIC THEATRE,
in aid of the funds of the Metropolitan Fair, on
WEDNESDAY EVENING, Feb. 24.
On which occasion the favorite plays of the season,
THE PRIDE OF THE MARKET,
and the brilliant burlesque,
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The entire receipts of the evening have been devoted by Mrs. WOOD to the benevolent and patriotic purposes of the Fair.
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Contributions will be received and stored after the 22d inst., at the 22d Regiment Armory, in 14th-st., near 6th-av., and should be consigned to and marked "Metropolitan Fair." Mr John M. Freeman, Agent, will receipt for the goods, and pay freight when goods are not sent by any of the Express Companies, who carry free of charge for this Association. Hours for receiving goods, from 10 o'clock, A. M., to 4 o'clock, P. M.
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POLITICAL.

UNION GENERAL COMMITTEE.

At a meeting of the Union General Committee, held at No. 639 Broadway, Monday evening, the following address was, on motion of Hon. Waldo Hutchins, unanimously adopted:

JUSTICE TO THE VOLUNTEERS.

UNION GENERAL COMMITTEE, }
NEW-YORK, Feb. 22, 1864. }

To the Loyal Union Electors of the State of New-York:

FELLOW-CITIZENS: On the 8th day of March ensuing, you will have the grateful opportunity to confirm, by your votes on the Constitutional Amendment, the right of volunteer soldiers to declare their sentiments in regard to public men and public measures.

The legal exercise of the elective franchise is a privilege accorded to every American citizen. As a principle, it lies at the foundation of Republican Government; as a right, it is guaranteed by the Constitution.

Every restriction that seeks to impair its efficiency is an infringement of the spirit, if not of the letter, of that sacred charter of public liberty.

The Legislature, from a wise sense of duty, and for a beneficent purpose, has taken an appeal, in this behalf, from executive authority to the supreme electoral voice of the State.

It depends upon you, therefore, to decide this solemn question. It is for you to say whether the patriot who leaves his home, family and friends, sacrifices personal comforts and private interests, sheds his blood and perils his life to sustain the cause of his country, shall therefore forfeit the inestimable rights which belong to him as a citizen?

Argument is unnecessary on such a subject; the instincts of reason are infallible when human rights are in question. It only needs to call your attention to the imminent importance of the vote about to be taken, and your sense of duty will insure such a result as will carry aid and comfort to many a weary soldier in camp, or on the march, or where the battle rages; it will gladden his heart to know that, while he is contending for the honor of his country in the field, his friends and neighbors have preserved inviolate his civil rights at home.

It was scarcely necessary to call your attention to this subject, but it may not be deemed improper to remind you that vigilance and determination are qualities to be commended in peace as well as in war. It is never the part of wisdom to take for granted any result in the future which personal exertions can render certain.

While loyal citizens will unerringly cast their suffrages in favor of the defenders of the national cause, it must not be forgotten that there are electors whose principles of action are not guided by love of country or devotion to its flag.

We address you on a day hallowed by associations which ought to warm every American heart. Let the memories which cluster round the name of Washington admonish us of the duty we owe to the gallant men armed in defence of the Union, consecrated to freedom by his wisdom and patriotism.

By order of the Union General Committee.
RUFUS F. ANDREWS, President.
HARVEY H. WOOD, Secretary.

PIANO STOOLS AND COVERS FOR SALE. G. G. SAXE, No. 37 Park-row, N. Y.

FROM WASHINGTON.

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Houses were agreed, and to this opinion he had yielded.

Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, briefly expressed his reasons for differing from such a construction of the powers of committees of conference and appealed to the Speaker as to his view of the matter.

The Speaker, by unanimous consent, stated, in response to Mr. WASHBURNE's inquiry of him, that the conference report ruled out this. The Vice-President at the last Congress was properly ruled out in his opinion, because, after settling the disagreement, they reported a recommendation to change the original text. But of the power of concurrence by proposing amendments to the pending amendments, there could be no doubt, provided they did not propose any amendments in the same language and to the same effect as those which both Houses had rejected.

Mr. ELIJAH WARD, of New-York (Dem.,) said while his colleague (Mr. WOOD) had moved an amendment that the increased tax should apply to all whisky on hand, with a view, as alleged, to reach speculators, without reference to the injury it would inflict on distillers, legitimate traders and consigners, who had made advances on spirits at the present rate of taxation, he had deemed it his duty to his constituents to vote against the whole bill in that objectionable state, although disposed to favor a liberal taxation in a proper form. His colleague (Mr. WOOD) has urged his amendment as a revenue measure necessary for the support of the Government, had voted against it when made in conformity with his views. He urged that the bill as reported was prospective in its operation, except as to spirits on shipboard, bound to the United States and public stores. He condemned the injustice of retroactive legislation, and said the same principle, already sanctioned in regard to domestic spirits, should be applied to those imported. He regarded this course as essential to the consistency of the House. At present, if a vessel arrived a day after the passage of the act, the importer, who had sent his orders abroad, without anticipating the proposed increase, would have to pay an additional tax—a species of legislation without parallel in this country. He showed that by the various acts of Aug. 2, 1861, Aug. 6, 1861, and July 14, 1862, that sufficient time had been allowed most of the goods, *bonâ fide* ordered and shipped, without anticipation of the increase of duty, to arrive before the law was enforced, and urged that the proposed law was an unwarrantable interference with the ordinary laws and security of commerce; that merchandise on shipboard, bound to the United States, had always been exempted from increased duty, or a reasonable time for its arrival had been given.

Mr. KASSON, (Union,) of Iowa, referring to the remarks of FERNANDO WOOD, said the gentleman in agreeing to reduce the sliding scale did not represent the opinion of the House. If the House voted anything, it voted against the sliding scale. He earnestly hoped they would reconsider both clauses, in relation to the sliding scale, with the view of rendering the bill more in accordance with the opinion of the House.

Mr. STEVENS, (Union,) of Pennsylvania, hoped the House would not stultify themselves. The position taken by the committee, was the only one which, by the parliamentary law, they could adopt. The House adopted the clause for taxing spirits on hand the Senate struck it out, and in this the House concurred. The committee were therefore bound to put no tax upon spirits on hand, there was no principle in parliamentary law which authorized them to depart from it. In the course of his remarks he said that men on the temperance side of this question became as intoxicated as if they had been drinking liquor for a month, and they become so giddy that they lose their reason and forget the parliamentary law. [Laughter.] He denied that the House were throwing away revenue by agreeing to the Senate's amendment. As modified, the Senate bill would have produced $14,000,000 more, but this bill as it now stands, would produce $9,500,000 more from year to year. It was time they were done with this deleterious agitation. The gentleman from Illinois had been talking about speculators coming hither, but he (STEVENS) thought the gentleman from Illinois (WASHBURNE) would hold out against an army of besiegers. None appeared before the committee but distillers, not one of whom had spirits on hand. Seventy-two large distillers were alone consulted. He moved that the House concur in the report of the Committee of Conference.

The question was taken, and the report was non-concurred in, Yeas 57, Nays 86, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. J. C. Allen, Ancona, Bailey, Blow, Cobb, Cole, Cravens, Davis of Maryland, Dawson, Dennison, Eldridge, English, Fenton, Finck, Griswold, Harrington, Holman, Hooper, King, Law, Lazear, Long, Marvin, McAllister, McBride, McIndoe, Middleton, Miller of Pennsylvania, Morris of Ohio, Leonard Myers, Nelson, Noble, O'Neill of Pennsylvania, O'Neill of Ohio, Orth, Patterson, Pendleton, Perry, Pomeroy, Rice of Massachusetts, Robinson, Schenck, Scott, Shannon, Smithers, Stevens, Stiles, Strouse, Van Valkenburgh, Voorhees, Whaley, Wheeler, C. A. White, Wilder, Winfield, F. Wood and Woodbridge.

NAYS—Messrs. Alley, Allison, Anderson, Arnold, Ashley, Baldwin of Michigan, Baldwin of Massachusetts, Baxter, Beaman, Blair of Western Virginia, Boutwell, Boyd, Brandagee, Brooks, Brown of Wisconsin, Chandler, A. W. Clark, Clay, Cox, Cresswell, Dawes, Deming, Dixon, Driggs, Eckley, Eden, Edgerton, Eliot, Farnsworth, Frank, Ganson, Gooch, Grider, Grinnell, Hall, Harding, Harris of Maryland, Herrick, Higby, Hubbard of Iowa, Hulburd, Hutchins, Johnson of Ohio, Julian, Kalbfleisch, Kasson, Kellogg of Michigan, Kellogg of New-York, Leblond, Loan, Longyear, Mallory, McClurg, McDowell, Miller of New-York, Morehead, Morrison, Morris of New-York, Amos Myers, Norton, Odell, Perham, Pike, Price, Randall of Kentucky, Rollins of New-Hampshire, Ross, Schofield, Swan, Spalding, Starr, Stebbins, Steele of New-York, Sweat, Tracey, Upson, Wadsworth, Ward, Washburne of Illinois, Washburne of Massachusetts, Webster, J. W. White, Williams, Wilson, Windom.

On motion of Mr. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, (Union,) it was ordered that a new Committee of Conference be asked of the Senate.

AN "ABOLITION WAR."

The House went into Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union.

Mr. BLOW, of Missouri, (Union,) resumed his remarks from Friday, in reply to his colleague, Mr. BLAIR. He defended Secretary CHASE's trade regulations, which had been attacked, and also commented upon a public address of Mr. MONTGOMERY BLAIR. He said he could tell the Postmaster-General that if the rebellion was to be crushed and the Federal authority restored, it would be effected by the Abolition party, and the black race would be protected in their freedom. His prayer was that we might have the courage and ability to act so justly that the God of nations would not abandon us.

Mr. McDOWELL, (Dem.,) of Indiana, arraigned the President and Republican party as fanatical hypocrites, and as having changed the declared policy of the war and made it one for the abolition of Slavery. With the President's Proclamation had come dissensions and divisions at the North, destruction of the freedom of speech and press, the suspension of the habeas corpus, the denial of the right of trial by jury, the invasion of peaceful homes, and arbitrary arrests, and mock trials, and exile. And now the dominant party had borrowed from Europe a Conscription Law, to compel our people to carry on an abolition war. He denied any sympathy with the rebellion; but said we must accompany the sword with the olive branch of peace, and build up a Union sentiment to protect the South after our armies have left it.

The committee rose, and at 4½ o'clock the House adjourned.

Indiana Union State Convention.

INDIANAPOLIS, Tuesday, Feb. 22.

The Union State Convention organized at 10 o'clock this morning. Gov. J. A. WRIGHT presided. Resolutions indorsing the Administration, and recommending the renomination of Mr. LINCOLN for the Presidency, were passed unanimously. Gov. MORTON was renominated for election by acclamation. A full ticket will be nominated this afternoon, and a platform adopted. The Convention was very large, every county in the State being fully represented.

SECOND DISPATCH.

INDIANAPOLIS, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The convention has nominated a full State ticket, with Gen. NATHAN KIMBALL for Lieutenant-Governor.

The resolutions assert that every partisan feeling for the cause of the Union, and in favor of the action of the Government, whether in accordance with the convention's views of correct policy or not, should be sacrificed; the convention cannot absolve any from rendering all possible aid to crush the rebellion, by furnishing the Government men, means, counsel and encouragement; hail with joy the indications of returning peace by a complete subjugation in accordance with the laws and Constitution; favor the destruction of everything that stands in the way of permanent and perpetual peace among the people of all States, and a full and complete restoration of the just authority of the United State under the Constitution; denounce those who oppose the Government, and refuse to contribute men and money to support it; present the name of ANDY JOHNSON as their choice for Vice-President.

A grand ratification meeting will be held to-night.

Regiments Returning to the Army.

BOSTON, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The Second Massachusetts Regiment left this afternoon to rejoin the Twelfth Army Corps under Gen. GRANT. They go via Albany and Buffalo.

The Twenty-third Massachusetts Volunteers also left to-day for Newport-News. Both regiments have reënlisted.

Court Calendar—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—*Part I.*—Nos. 1559, 1565, 1567, 1571, 1573, 1581, 1583, 1585, 1589, 1591, 1593, 1595, 1597, 1599, 1603, 1605, 1609, 1615, 1617. *Part II.*—Nos. 351, 660, 955, 182, 1267, 584, 1285, 964, 1057, 755, 688, 681, 986, 578, 1139, 18, 618, 620, 600, 793.

SUPERIOR COURT.—*Part I.*—Nos. 3371, 3437, 769, 2815, 3411, 3399, 1065, 3291, 3533, 3535, 3537, 3539, 3541, 3543, 3545. *Part II.*—Nos. 2018, 2730, 2056, 3550, 3372, 3458, 1048, 380, 3480, 3200, 3376, 3380, 3564, 3568, [illegible]

POSTSCRIPT.

WEDNESDAY, 4 O'CLOCK A. M.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT.

Rumored Retreat of General Longstreet.

AFFAIRS AT CHATTANOOGA.

Defiant Attitude of the Union Forces.

ADVANCE OF GENERAL PALMER.

CHATTANOOGA, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The latest reports repeat, without confirming, LONGSTREET's retreat across the French Broad River. It is thought here that, having failed to accumulate force sufficient for prompt, energetic operations on our communications, he has grown fearful of concentrations against him or JOHNSTON, and is now endeavoring to form a junction with the latter at Dalton before the Spring campaign can open.

The largest estimates give LONGSTREET 20,000 men and 50 field pieces. JOHNSTON can alone have at Dalton six divisions of infantry, about 30,000 men. The two armies concentrated will probably muster 60,000 men and might prove dangerous.

Great dissatisfaction exists among the rebels, and the evidences of their demoralization are numerous.

Provost-Marshal-Gen. PARKHURST reports that for January and half of February, a total of 3,276 deserters have come in from JOHNSTON's army alone.

Gen. PALMER has remained in peaceful possession of Ringgold, Georgia, and the Gap covering Chattanooga. The enemy may yet accept his invitation and fight.

Rumor had it yesterday that HARDEE was west of Lafayette, Ga., trying to get across Lookout Mountain, and make a descent to Bridgeport. But this is false, as Gen. PALMER pushed a detachment into Lafayette to-day, driving the enemy out.

The enemy suppose that GRANT has been concentrating at Knoxville to drive LONGSTREET, thus weakening Chattanooga, and they may be foolish enough to attack us here.

Look for active operations before April.

Adjt. JOHN SHEPPARD, of the Ninth Kentucky, has been exchanged.

Occupation of Ringgold, Georgia.

RINGGOLD, Ga., Monday, Feb. 22.

Gen. PALMER's forces occupied Ringgold this afternoon. Our mounted infantry in advance drove out the small rebel patrols found at Colorado, about two miles distant, but did not pursue. The town is quiet. But seven families are left in the place, which formerly had 3,000 inhabitants.

The Kentucky Freedom Convention.

LOUISVILLE, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The adjourned meeting of the Freedom Convention assembled this morning, at 10 o'clock, at Beck's Hall.

While waiting for the report of the Committee on Resolutions, the convention was addressed by Hon. CASPAR BUTZ, of Chicago, who made a very radical speech, as the representative of the German Convention, which met at Cleveland last Fall. He said some of the Germans had gone over to the Copperheads; but they had 400,000 votes left, and would obtain universal freedom throughout the United States, and asked where could we find a better territory for furnishing to the slaves than that we are now conquering?

Mr. ANDERSON, of Missouri, said the spirit of J. J. CRITTENDEN hung like a nightmare over Kentucky, and prevented her from expressing her true principles.

The convention was also addressed by Messrs. DUNHAM, BAIRD, PRESTON and NEEDHAM, of Kentucky; Gen. McNEIL, of Massachusetts; and Messrs. KIRKLE and PRESTORIOUS, of Missouri.

In the afternoon session the following resolutions were presented by the Committee on Resolutions, excepting the seventh resolution, which was offered by Mr. KIRKLE. They were acted upon singly, and afterward passed unanimously:

Resolved, first, That the unity of this country, with the present form of republican government, State and National, must be preserved, and the rebellion suppressed.

Second, That slavery was the cause of the war, and is the great obstacle to peace, which we cannot obtain until the principles of freedom announced in the Declaration of Independence and the Federal Constitution are carried into practice. The question whether slavery is to be perpetuated or not, is no longer exclusively a State but a National one. It is, therefore, proper that the Constitution of the United States should be amended so as to secure freedom to every human being within its jurisdiction. Such a guaranty of individual freedom is as necessary in the Constitution of the United States, as that of a republican form of government to each State.

Third—That the Government has the Constitutional right to command the services of every male, no matter what his color or condition, whether slave or free, and the master cannot interfere his right between the man and the Government, and we are in favor of enlisting and enrolling all alike.

Fourth—That during a rebellion, the President, in the exercise of the war power, has full and ample authority to free all the slaves in the rebellious districts, and they are hereby invested irrevocably with all the rights of freemen; and in the present rebellion he ought to exercise this power to the fullest extent.

Fifth—That with the effect of the President's Amnesty Proclamation before us, we delare that, in our opinion, the same has been injurious to the Union cause, and its operations within the districts to which it especially applies are humiliating and unjust to loyal men, by placing them upon the same footing with rebels, and we would urge its recall or suppression until the rebellion is wholly crushed.

Sixth.—That the Slave State Freedom Convention be a permanent organization by the formation of an Executive Committee of one member, and one alternate from each of the slave States, for the purpose of carrying out its principles; and that the delegation of each State represented in this Convention appoint such members of the committee.

Seventh.—That we declare ourselves favorable to such an amendment of the Constitution of the United States as shall make the President eligible for one term only.

A resolution was offered, and lost after considerable discussion, providing for a National Radical Convention at St. Louis, on the 10th of May. The vote on the resolution stood 53 in favor to 64 against, the majority preferring to act with the Republican party in their National Convention.

The proceedings of the convention were generally harmonious, but towards the close of the afternoon session considerable confusion prevailed, principally upon minor points.

The convention adjourned *sine die.*

A State Freedom Convention Called in Kentucky.

LOUISVILLE, Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The Kentucky delegation of the Freedom Convention have called a State Convention, to meet at Louisville on the 9th of May, to appoint delegates to the Baltimore Convention. They also appointed the following State Committee:

Messrs. James Speed, John Tompkins, L. M. Dembitz, of Somerville; C. A. Preston, of Covington; C. F. Beyland, Ham Cummings, of Newport; George D. Blakey, of Russellville; T. D. Calvert, of Bowling Green; Dr. Layton, of Lewis County.

GENERAL MARKETS.

NEW-YORK, Tuesday, Feb. 23, 1864—6 P. M.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce, since our last, have been: 85 bbls. Ashes, 13,407 bbls. Flour, 189 bbls. and 4,406 bags Corn Meal, 2,108 bushels Wheat, 8,081 bushels Corn, 14,744 bushels Oats, 265 bushels Rye, 3,997 bushels Malt, 13,207 pkgs. Provisions, and 4,590 bbls. Whisky.

ASHES—Sales 40 bbls., including Pots at $8 87½, and Pearls at $10 ℔ 100 lbs.

COTTON—Is quiet and depressed; Middling at 79c.@80c., chiefly within the range, ℔ lb. Sales and resales since our last, of 500 bales.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour is depressed to-day, and prices are quoted down 5c.@10c. ℔ bbl. The unfavorable foreign news and the rise in freights check export movements. The trade demand is moderate. Sales since our last 16,500 bbls., including Superfine State and Western, at $6 20@$6 45; poor to choice extra State at $6 60@$7 10, chiefly at $6 70@$6 85; round-hoop extra Ohio, shipping brands, at $7 15@$7 40 ℔ bbl.

Superfine State and Western	$6 20	@$6 45
Extra State	6 60	@ 7 10
Extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, &c.	6 75	@ 9 25
Extra Ohio, round-hoop, ship'g br'ds.	7 15	@ 7 40
Extra Ohio, trade and family brands	7 50	@ 9 25
Extra Genesee	7 15	@ 9 25
Poor to very choice extra Missouri	7 50	@ 11 50

Southern Flour is in less demand at drooping prices; sales since our last, 900 bbls., at $7 20@$7 95 for very poor to good superfine; $8@$11 for fancy to very choice extra brands, ℔ bbl. Canadian Flour is declining; sales 330 bbls. extra at $6 70@$8 60, ℔ bbl. Rye Flour has been in demand at $5 50@$6 50 ℔ bbl. Sales 150 bbls. Corn Meal is in fair request at $5 25@$5 50 for Jersey, $6 15@$6 20 for Brandywine, ℔ bbl. Total sales 330 bbls.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been more active, and prices have favored sellers. The demand has been mainly speculative. Sales since our last of 5,800 bbls., at $23 75@$24 for New Mess; $22 for Mess, last season's packing; and $22 75 for March, and $21 75 for March delivery; $21 for two-year old Mess; $24@$26 50 for Old and New Clear Mess; $21@$23 for Thin Mess; $21@$23 50 for Western and City Prime Mess; $16 25@$18 75 for Old and New Prime ℔ bbl. Cut Meats continue in fair demand at 11½c.@14¾c. for Hams, and 9c.@10c. for Shoulders, ℔ lb.; sales 750 packages. Bacon has been in good demand at 11⅝c. @ 13¼c., according to quality, ℔ lb.: sales since our last, 1,100 boxes for immediate and future delivery. Messrs. KNIGHT & SONS quote: "Cumberland Cut, Middle, 11¾c.; Short-ribbed, Middles, 11⅞c.; Short, clear, Middles, 12½c.; Long-ribbed Middles, 11¾c.; Long, clear, Middles, 12¼c.; Long-cut English Hams, 14¼c.; Short do. Round do., 13c.; salt or sweet pickle, 13c. ℔ lb. Dressed Hogs are in more demand to-day at 9½c.@11¾c., the latter for choice City, ℔ lb. Lard is in fair request and quite firm; sales 3,400 tcs. and bbls. for immediate and future delivery at 13c.@14c. the latter an extreme rate ℔ lb. Beef is in active demand at steady rates; sales 2,100 bbls. at $14 50@$16 for Extra Mess, and $12 25@$14 25 for Plain Mess, ℔ bbl. Prime Mess, $24@$25 50; India Mess, $28@$30 ℔ tierce: sales 150 tcs. Beef Hams, $20@$21 ℔ bbl. sales 170 bbls. Butter is in good demand at 23c.@30c. for poor to choice Western, and 29c.@36c. for common to choice State, ℔ lb. Cheese is selling more freely at 14c.@17c. ℔ lb.

WHISKY—Sales, since our last, 1,450 bbls., in lots, at 90c.@93c., the latter an extreme rate, ℔ gallon.

FREIGHTS—Engagements have been quite limited since our last, in view of the scarcity of room and the high rates claimed by shipowners. For Liverpool, 1,000 bbls. Flour at 1s. 4½d.@1s. 6d., nearly all at the lower rate; 1,750 boxes Bacon at 12s. 6d.@14s. 6d. by sailing vessel, and 30s.@35s. by steamer. For London, 1,500 bbls. Flour, at 1s. 8d., 200 bbls. Pork, at 2s. 6d.; 250 boxes Bacon, at 20s.; 250 bbls. Oil, at 25s. For Glasgow, 200 tierces Lard, at 17s. 6d.; 20 tierces Oil, 22s. 6d. For Cork and orders, a British brig, with Petroleum, at 6s.; if to an English, 6s.; if to a Continental port. For River Platte, a British bark, with Lumber, at $18.

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A graphic caricature of the Presidential political cobblers and wire-pullers measuring Lincoln's shoes, including Bennett, Hudson, Raymond, Greeley, Weed, Seward, Brooks, Sumner, Forney and Miss Anna Dickinson, in *Demorest's New-York Illustrated News* of this week, with many other graphic and humorous sketches.

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MARRIED.

DYE—GRIFFIN.—In San Francisco, Cal., on Tuesday, Jan. 5, Mr. WILLIAM McLEAN DYE, formerly of New-York, to Miss JOSEPHENE GRIFFIN, of San Francisco.

FOSTER—PATTERSON.—On Tuesday, Feb. 23, at the residence of the bride's father, Harlem, N. Y., by Rev. John E. Cookman, W. J. FOSTER to Miss CECIL A., eldest daughter of C. Patterson, Esq., all of this City.

HERDER—FULLER.—In Brooklyn, on Monday, Feb. 22, by Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, ABRAHAM HERDER to CORNELIA FULLER, daughter of Rev. E. C. Fuller, all of that city.

KERNAGHAN—CONKLIN.—On Tuesday, Feb. 23, by Rev. Henry J. Fox, HENRY D. KERNAGHAN to LIZZIE M., daughter of John S. Conklin, Esq., both of this City. No cards.

NEWTON—PARSONS.—At Hartford, Conn., on Tuesday, Feb. 16, by Rev. Dr. Rogers, of New-York, JOHN W. NEWTON, of St. Albans, Vt., Captain First Vermont Cavalry, to ELIZABETH SCOTT, daughter of the late Hon. Francis Parsons, of Hartford.

DIED.

CARPENTER.—In Brooklyn, on Monday, Feb. 22, MARGARET, youngest child of Rev. H. S. and Louisa Carpenter, aged 4 years, 6 months and 16 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, on Wednesday, the 24th inst., from the residence of her parents, No. 8 Carroll-place, at 11 o'clock A. M.

DEVLIN.—On Tuesday, Feb. 23, SAMUEL B., son of John E. and Martha Josephine Devlin, aged 19 years, 6 months and 20 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 3 Livingston-place, Stuyvesant-square, on Thursday next, the 25th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M.

DISBROW.—At his residence, Middletown Point, Monmouth County, N. J., on Monday, Feb. 22, NICHOLAS MORGAN DISBROW, in the 81st year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, at the above village, on Thursday, the 25th inst., at 1 o'clock P. M.

☞ Detroit, Mich., papers please copy.

DOUBET.—On Sunday, Feb. 21, FRANCIS DOUBET, native of France, aged 47 years.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 160 Wooster-st., on Wednesday, Feb. 24, at 2 o'clock P. M. The relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral.

HALLOCK.—In this City, on Third day, Second month, 23d, MARY M., the beloved wife of Reuben L. Hallock, daughter of the late David and Sarah Hoag, aged 31 years and 4 months.

The remains will be taken on Fifth day, the 25th, to Amawalk, Westchester County, for interment.

IVEY.—On Tuesday, Feb. 23, JOSEPHINE, eldest daughter of Henry and Margaret Ivey, aged 5 years, 7 months and 6 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her parents, No. 329 Washington-st., this (Wednesday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, without further invitation. Her remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

KEELER.—At La Salle, Ill., on Tuesday, Feb. 9, ROSWELL KEELER, aged 72 years, formerly merchant of this City and resident of Brooklyn.

KELLY.—On Monday, Feb. 22, JESSIE B., daughter of Henry and Almira Kelly, aged 10 months and 12 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her parents, No. 36 West 11th-st., without further notice.

MAYER.—On Monday, Feb. 22, at 6 P. M., ABRAHAM MAYER, Sexton of the Temple Emanuel, in the 44th year of his age, after a short and painful illness.

The relatives and friends of the family, and the members of the Temple Emanuel, Mendelssohn Society, Arnan Lodge No. 39, I. O. B. B., and Mount Sinai Lodge, I. O. O. F., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, which will take place on Wednesday, Feb. 24, at 1 o'clock P. M. precisely, from the Temple, in 12th-st., between 3d and 4th avs.

MYER.—On Sunday, Feb. 21, at the New-York Hospital, of consumption, FRANCIS X. MYER.

The members of Mechanic Lodge No. 31, F. & A. M., are hereby notified to meet at the Lodge-room, corner of 4th and Greene sts., at 12½ P. M., on Wednesday, Feb. 24, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, F. X. MYER. The fraternity are respectfully invited to attend. By order.

CHAS. C. J. BEEK, W. M.

JOHN HANNA, Secretary.

NAUDAIN.—On Tuesday morning, Feb. 23, at his residence at West Farms, N. Y., ANDREW NAUDAIN, M. D., in the 52d year of his age.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, the 25th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M., from the Presbyterian Church, West Farms. Friends are invited to attend, without further notice.

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NORTHROP.—On Sunday morning, Feb. 21, after a lingering illness, JOHN I. NORTHROP, in the 46th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 323 West 15th-st., at 12 M. on Wednesday, the 24th inst.

PEYTON.—On Monday night, Feb. 22, after a long and painful sickness, MARY, the beloved wife of William Peyton, in the 57th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her son, W. K. Peyton, No. 7 3d-st.

PHIPPS.—In Philadelphia, on Saturday, Feb. 20, Mrs. SOPHIE PHIPPS, daughter of the late Hon. J. H. Lyman, of Northampton, Mass., aged 48 years.

POPE.—On Monday, Feb. 22, CHARLES POPE, Sr., in the 83d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 189 West 21st-st., on Friday, the 26th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M., without further notice.

POWERS.—On Monday, Feb. 22, MARY S. POWERS, wife of Thomas Powers, of this City, in the 78th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from St. Bartholomew's Church, corner of Lafayette-place and Great Jones-st., on Wednesday afternoon, at 3½ o'clock.

RIKER.—At Oak Hill, Newtown, L. I., on Monday, Feb. 22, MARGARET S., youngest daughter of the late Capt. Andrew and Margaret Moore Riker.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, at the residence of her brother-in-law, John C. Jackson, on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 25, at 3 o'clock, without further invitation. Carriages will be in waiting from 2 until 2½ o'clock, at Hunter's Point, L. I., opposite 34th-st. ferry.

SAYRE.—In Brooklyn, on Tuesday, Feb. 23, after a brief illness, FRANCIS SAYRE, son of the late Sylvanus Sayre, aged 50 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this day, (Wednesday,) the 24th inst., at St. John's Church, corner of Washington and Johnson sts., at 2½ o'clock, without further invitation.

SLAMM.—At Port Washington, on Sunday, Feb. 21, JOSEPH A. SLAMM, aged 41 years.

The funeral service will take place at the residence of his brother-in-law, J. T. P. Smith, No. 52 Court-st., Brooklyn, on Thursday, Feb. 25, at 2 o'clock P. M. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SHAW.—On Saturday, Feb. 13, near Middletown, N. Y., HARRIET, daughter of Samuel and Ruth Shaw.

ST. FELIX.—In Brooklyn, on Sunday, Feb. 21, LOUIS HENRY R., youngest son of the late J. R. St. Felix, in his 32d year.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, on Wednesday afternoon, at 2½ o'clock, from his mother's residence, Raymond-st., near Fulton-av., without further notice.

TRAPHAGEN.—On Monday, Feb. 15, at his residence, Preakness, N. J., of disease of the heart, WILLIAM H. TRAPHAGEN, aged 30 years, 10 months and 10 days.

Asleep in Jesus.

THOMPSON.—On Monday, Feb. 22, Mrs. MARGARET THOMPSON, aged 81 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 254 Madison-st., on Thursday, at 1 P. M.

WHELPLEY.—At Morristown, N. J., on Sunday, Feb. 21, EDWARD W. WHELPLEY, Chief Justice of New-Jersey, aged 46 years.

The funeral will take place at the South-st. Presbyterian Church, Morristown, on Thursday, the 25th inst., at 11½ A. M. The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend, without further invitation. Train leaves foot of Barclay-st. at 9 A. M.

WILLIAMS.—On Monday, Feb. 22, RICHARD S. WILLIAMS, in the 76th year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 29 Sands-st., Brooklyn, on Wednesday, at 2 P. M.

ZABRISKIE.—At her late residence, Morrisania, on Sunday, Feb. 21, ANNA ELLIOTT, wife of Martin Zabriskie, and daughter of the late William Elliott Morris, of Morrisania, and of Saint Bartholomew's Parish, Saint John Colleton, South Carolina.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, without further invitation, on Wednesday next, the 24th inst., at St. Ann's Church, Morrisania, at 3½ o'clock P. M. Carriages will be in attendance at the Mott Haven Station, Harlem Railroad, to meet the 2½ o'clock train from New-York.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises.... 6 41 | Sun sets..... 5 46 | Moon rises. 7 55

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook. 8 35 | Gov. Island.. 9 24 | Hell Gate..10 46

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK....TUESDAY, Feb. 23.

Cleared.

Steamships Ariel, Wilson, Aspinwall, D. B. Allen; Fairbanks, Mershon, Washington, James Hand.

Steamer Vineland, Maul, Philadelphia, Bentley, Smith & Co.

Ships Cultivator, Russell, Liverpool, Williams & Guion; Eastern Belle, (Br.,) Webster, Liverpool, J. W. Elwell & Co.; Ivanhoe, (Br.,) Barclay, Liverpool, Snow & Burgess.

Barks Aberdeen, Cochran, Matanzas, R. P. Buck & Co.; Quindaro, Moore, Philadelphia, Thompson & Hunter; Johannes, (Brem.,) Klochgeter, London, Ruger Bros.; Madras, (Fr.,) Mignot, Havre, Baetjer & De Vertu.

Brigs Zwan, (Hol.,) Riedyk, Rotterdam, Funch, Meincke & Wendt; Nellie Hunt, (Br.,) Nelson, Buenos Ayres, E. A. Hussey & Co.; Arione, (Aust.,) Miletich, St. Jago, Cuba, Holmboe & Balchen; A. B. Cook, Speed, Port Royal, Bixby & Co.; S. B. Johnson, (Br.,) Saunders, Greytown, Nic., Boyd & Hincken; J. W. Johnston, (Br.,) Foster, Barbados, T. T. Dwight.

Schooners J. B. Stafford, Longstreet, Fortress Monroe, B. C. Wheeler & Co.; Warren, Hammond, Fall River; Niagara, Worden, Bridgeport, L. Kenny; O. C. Acken, Peck, Stamford; J. Hamblin, Rich, Canary Islands, Crowell & Paine; Sarah, Steelman, Chincoteague, A. C. Havens; Rio Grande, Cropper, Fortress Monroe, J. A. McSorley; Christie Johnston, Rich, Fortress Monroe, Crowell & Paine; Mary J. Elliott, Newcomb, Fortress Monroe, Crowell & Paine; Ellen Frances, Rich, Fortress Monroe, Crowell & Paine; Brunette, (Br.,) Smith, Balize, Hond., F. Alexandre & Sons; Mary A. Hyer, Soper, Fortress Monroe, T. G. Benton & Sons; Lydia Ann, Overton, Fortress Monroe, Bentley, Smith & Co.

Sloop W. H. Brown, Jackson, Providence, L. Kenny.

Arrived.

Steamship Baltimore, Lewis, Baltimore, with mdse. and passengers to J. Hand.

Steamship Louisiana, (Br.,) Smellie, Queenstown Feb. 5, with mdse. and 4 passengers to Williams & Guion.

Steamer Falcon, Jones, Providence, with mdse. to E. Bynner.

Steamer Kingfisher, Nye, Providence, with mdse. to E. Bynner.

Ship Liverpool, Chamberlain, London and the Isle of Wight Dec. 28, with mdse. and passengers to Grinnell, Minturn & Co. Has had heavy westerly weather nearly the whole passage; lost sails and stove bulwarks. Jan. 17, lat. 47, lon. 29 30, fell in with Br. brig Vesta, Williams, cleared hence Dec. 14 for Falmouth, with 9,629 bushels wheat, dismasted and in a sinking condition; had lost everything above the deck, except the mainmast. Took off the Captain and crew and brought them to this port.

Ship Catharine, (Br.,) Holbrook, Lawrence, New-Bedford, in ballast to Metcalf & Duncan.

Bark Xantho, Chapman, Aspinwall 25 ds., with mdse. to J. F. Joy. On the 18th and 19th inst., had very heavy westerly winds and snow squalls.

Bark Bremerin, (Brem.,) Jochens, Rio Janeiro 50 ds., with coffee to J. L. Phipps & Co. Vessels left before reported.

Bark Scandinavian, Friend, New-Orleans 17 ds., with sugar, etc., to master. Had some heavy weather.

Bark Teresa Carmelio, (Ital.,) Romeo, Salem, in ballast.

Bark Psyche, (Dan.,) Waver, Rio Janeiro 53 ds., with coffee to Funch, Meincke & Wendt. Had heavy weather on the coast.

Brig Trackless, Laprelle, Port-au-Prince Feb. 7, with logwood, coffee and honey to Henry de Cordova & Co. The bark Wilhelmine, McEwen, for Miragoane, sld. Jan. 29, to load for New-York; the brig Almata sld. Feb. 2 for St. Mark's, to load for New-York; the bark R. Murray, Jr., Capt. Curtis, sld. Feb. 3 for Miragoane, to load for New-York.

Brig Wilhelmine, (Dan.,) Nelson, St. Thomas Jan. 24, and Grand Turk, T. I., 22 ds., with salt to order. Had heavy weather on the passage.

Schr. White Sea, Lee, Port Royal 6 ds., with cotton to master. Feb. 19, off Hatteras, spoke schr. J. Orland, dismasted.

Schr. Leocadia, Small, Salem, with mdse. to R. W. Ropes & Co.

Schr. Lottie, Hammond, Boston 3 ds., with mdse. to S. W. Lewis & Co.

Schr. S. P. Godwin, Hobby, Elizabethport, for Stamford.

Schr. E. Flower, Russell, Elizabethport, for New-Haven.

Schr. Huntress, Howes, Baltimore 4 ds., with corn to master.

Schr. May Queen, Gott, Port Royal 10 ds., in ballast to master.

Schr. Granite State, Seabury, Boston 3 ds., with mdse. to S. W. Lewis & Co.

Schr. Wm. Crawford, Burgess, Elizabethport, for Boston.

Schr. Alexander Blue, Simonson, Baltimore, coal.

Schr. Harriet Baker, Webber, Portland, copper ore.

Schr. Ida A. Jaynes, Jaynes, Baltimore 3 ds., with coal.

Schr. Union, Pinkham, Baltimore 7 ds., with coal.

WIND—Sunset, S., very light.

Sailed.

Feb. 22—Ship James L. Bogart.

Bark Salem.

Brigs Eclipse and Wm. Cousins.

Schooners Nathaniel Chase, N. & D. Scudder, Mary Ann, E. C. Johnson.

Feb. 23—Steamships Baltimore, for Glasgow; Ariel, for Aspinwall.

By Telegraph.

BOSTON, Feb. 23—Arr. bark John Gilpin, from Capetown Dec. 31; bark Speedwell, Messina; brig Boston, Halifax; schr. C. S. Sparks, from Jacmel.

At Provincetown, bark Rockett, from Penang.

Schr. Messenger, from New-York, arrived at Jacmel Jan. 20.

HALIFAX, Feb. 22—Arr. schr. C. D. Horton, from New-York. Sld. schrs. G. R. C., for New-York; Comet, for Boston.

Miscellaneous.

The steamer Plymouth Rock, of the Stonington line, when coming through the Sound this morning, came in collision with the Br. ship Catharine, Holbrook, from New-Bedford. The steamer had her port smoke-stack knocked down, and received some trifling damage to her joiner-work.

A two-turret steam battery went down the Bay this morning on a trial trip, and returned to the City in the evening.

The steamship Roanoke, for Havana, will leave Pier No. 13 North River, on Wednesday, the 24th.

The steamship Creole, for New-Orleans, will leave Pier No. 13 North River, on Wednesday, the 24th.

The Br. brig Vesta, Williams, hence for Queenstown, with a cargo of wheat, was abandoned Jan. 17, in lat. 47, lon. 29 30. She sailed from this port Dec. 19, and had pleasant weather until the 24, when from that time had a succession of westerly gales. On the 24th was boarded by a sea, which hove the vessel on her beam ends, carried away the foremast by the deck, bowsprit and maintopmast; swept decks of water-casks, galley and boats. Dec. 25, had the decks filled with water; lost long boat and one seaman, named William Bradley, of London. Had a continuation of gales up to Jan. 17, when the ship Liverpool, Capt. Chamberlain, heaving in sight, concluded to abandon her. The Vesta having no boats, the life-boat of the Liverpool was launched and manned, and brought near by, but could not come alongside on account of the high sea, obliging the crew to jump overboard and swim to her; in doing this, William Williams, of Biddeford, aged 15, a nephew of the Captain's, was drowned. The Vesta belonged to Biddeford, Eng.; was built at Prince Edward's Island in 1861, and was insured at Lloyds.

Domestic Ports.

HOLMES' HOLE, Feb. 20—Arr. schrs. Halcyon, King, from New-York for Boston; Harriet Truey, Antone, Boston for New-York; Fannie Westbrook, for Baltimore; G. W. Carpenter, Maine and Fred Sheerer, for Alexandria.

Sailed—Schrs. Sarah Wooster, Harriet Jones, U. S. Revenue cutter Agassiz.

Feb. 21—Arr. schrs. S. E. Parker, Ada Ames, for Portland; Mary Sawyer, Minnesota, Boston, for Baltimore; Flying Dragon, Mary Fletcher, for Philadelphia.

Sailed—Schrs. Hannie Westbrook, G. W. Carpenter, Fred. Sheerer, Minnesota, Flying Dragon and Mary Fletcher.

Feb. 22—8 A. M., wind E. In port—Schrs. Boston, Halcyon, S. E. Barker, Ada Ames and Mary.

HELP, MALE AND FEMALE, WANTED, this day, at Employment House No. 138 11th-st., corner 6th-av. Men and boys for waiters; also, farm workers, gardeners, &c.; women for different branches of housework; men and wives to go on farms.

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